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BOARD APPROVES ORIGINAL PLANS

Instruct Viewers of Proposed Drainage Canal to Confine Report to the Petition.

OBJECTIONS TO LATERALS

Members of Board of Works Decide Not to Joint with Landowners in Dredge Ditch.

After a thorough discussion of the proposition that the city join with landowners west of the city who have petitioned for the construction of a drainage canal from the slaughter house site west of the city to White River, the board of public works Tuesday night unanimously adopted a resolution instructing the viewers to "confine their report to the original petition." This action means that the board, which is composed of the entire council, is not in favor of building the proposed laterals on the south and west sides of the city at the same time that the main canal is constructed. A remonstrance signed by a number of residents and landowners who would be affected by the proposed laterals was filed with the board.

The petition asking for the construction of the larger ditch through the territory between the west corporation line of the city and the river was brought to the attention of the council by the viewers, Charles Hauer and Oscar E. Carter, who stated that they thought this would be a good opportunity for the city to solve its surface drainage problems, which admittedly exists. They suggested that two laterals be built at the same time the main line is constructed as the cost of such work would be comparatively small as one contractor could do all of it and he would have the necessary equipment on the ground. The petitioners at the last regular meeting of the council said they had no objection of the city joining with them in the work.

It was stated at the last council meeting that the city would have to pay part of the cost of constructing the new canal as it uses the water way for draining surface water from the streets. It was pointed out that if the city would have to pay part of the cost it could get greater benefit from the canal by building the two laterals. It was estimated that the city's part of the work would cost about \$6,000 or \$7,000. County Engineer E. B. Douglass reported that he estimated the total cost of the main line and laterals to be \$15,000, although, he said, no figures had yet been received from any contractor. He pointed out that most of this kind of work in Jackson county in the past has been done with what is known as a water dredge while this canal would be cut with a land dredge. He thought that the city's part of the work would cost about one-half the total amount.

The council has been investigating the matter of assessment of benefits and has been informed that the city will not be required to pay but very little, if any, of the cost. It is said that the beginning of the proposed canal, according to the petition, is west of the corporation line and that the city cannot be assessed unless all the land lying between the corporation line and the beginning of the ditch is assessed. It is said that the present intention is not to include this land. Therefore, if the city is correctly advised it will not have to pay any considerable amount of the expense.

The landowners west of the corporation line said that the improved streets resulted in a larger amount of surface water being thrown into the ditch which is to be made larger, that it can carry away and that their lands are overflowed. They said that the damage from overflows was increasing each year and intimated that the city would be liable therefor. The matter has been before the council for several weeks and unless some unexpected turn should be taken, the canal will be built as originally proposed in the petition. The city has no voice in

the question of assessments and if the council is not satisfied with the assessment made against the city, its only recourse is an appeal to the circuit court.

FIVE ARE ARRAIGNED FOR TRESPASS ON TRAINS

B. & O. Southwestern and Pennsylvania Lines Patrolmen Enforce Train Riding Rules.

Five transients all charged with train riding were arraigned in city court before Mayor Ross, the arrests having been made by Patrolman Robert Barkley, of the B. & O. S.W. and Patrolman John Ruddick, of the Pennsylvania Lines. Four of the defendants were taken from westbound train No. 1 on the B. & O. yesterday and were held in jail until arraignment. All pleaded guilty. The court fixed a fine of \$1 and costs in each day. None of the defendants was able to pay his fine. The four were taken to Brownstown to lay out their fines in the county jail. The men gave their names as Ed Foley, of Seattle; Ed Franklin and Frank Cavanaugh, of Cleveland, O., and James Smith, colored, of Louisville.

The fifth was arrested late yesterday by Ruddick when he was found in a Pennsylvania train. He was slated under the name of Walter Stoub, of Indianapolis. The lad said he was but sixteen years old, although the police believe that he is several years older.

DOCKET FEES AND FINES EXCEED MAYOR'S SALARY

Cases in City Court During the Last Year Brought in Revenue of \$838.18.

Mayor Ross today filed his report on the amount of docket fees and fines paid in to the city court during the last twelve months. The total was given as \$838.18. In other words the city court more than paid the salary of the mayor which is \$700 a year. There were fewer arrests in 1916 than during the year previous and accordingly the amount of fines is less.

The docket fees during the third quarter were the largest during the year amounting to \$184.50. In the same quarter the fines totaled \$85.60. In the first quarter the docket fees were \$106 and the fines amounted to \$44. In the second quarter the docket netted \$120 and fines reached \$92. In the last quarter the docket fees amounted to \$121.67 and the fines totaled \$84.41.

SUCCESS COMPANY WILL BE GUESTS AT EDINBURG

Capt. W. L. Johnson and Twenty-five Members to Attend Banquet There Tonight.

Captain W. L. Johnson and twenty-five members of Success Company, Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias, will go to Edinburg late this afternoon to attend a banquet and installation of officers of the Edinburg company. An inspection of the Edinburg company will also be made at the same time. Some of the state officers of the Uniform Rank will be in attendance. Companies from Indianapolis and Rushville have accepted invitations to attend and the meeting will be one of the largest that has ever been held by the Edinburg Company. The members of Success Company will return on a late car tonight.

LINEMAN HURT.

G. S. Gray Injured when Pole Falls on Him.

G. S. Gray, of Brownstown, was injured Tuesday afternoon when an electric light pole fell on him. Gray was working on Crane Hill, assisting Edgar Allen in putting in the poles between Seymour and Brownstown. He was immediately taken to his home, and a physician was called. It was found that several ribs were broken, and he will probably be confined to his home for some time.

FIVE-ACRE CORN CONTEST

Won by Fred Shurer, of Bartholomew County.

By United Press. Lafayette, Ind., January 10.—Fred Shurer, of Bartholomew county, won the state championship in the five-acre corn growing contest in the state today. Decision was made at Purdue University. He raised 106 bushels of corn to the acre.

ANOTHER CANNING FACTORY IN VIEW

Morgan Company at Austin Takes Option on Site Along the Pennsylvania Tracks.

TO REACH DECISION SHORTLY

Well Known Packing Company Believes Seymour is Well Located for Big Plant.

On the heels of the recent announcement that the Rider Packing Company, of Crothersville, is contemplating the erecting of a big packing plant in this city, comes the information that the Morgan Canning Company, of Austin, is also looking towards Seymour with the view of building another plant. Mr. Morgan, the head of the company, has taken a ten-days' option on a favorably located tract of ground along the Pennsylvania tracks, near the place where the old stove factory was formerly operated, and expects to reach a decision very soon as to whether or not the plant will be built early in the spring.

The Morgan Canning Company is a well known packing concern and operates a big plant at Austin. It has been very successful and its business has grown by leaps and bounds. The members of the company are energetic business men and if they should decide to build another plant in this city, the mere fact that the company is back of it would guarantee its success. Mr. Morgan was in the city several days ago looking over the available sites and getting in touch with the situation. As a resident of Austin he comes to Seymour frequently and therefore is familiar with the advantages to be found here. The site upon which he has taken an option is owned by B. F. Schneek. It has many advantages for a factory location and being close to the main line of the Pennsylvania tracks excellent switching facilities are offered.

The fact that the second canning company is contemplating the erection of a plant here shows that the industrial advantages of the city are recognized. Packing plants are a direct benefit to the farming community in that they create a bigger demand for tomatoes, corn and other vegetables that are canned by such factories. The land around this city is well known to be well adapted for the growing of such crops.

The two companies which are considering the erection of new factories here are now conducting plants which are operated twelve months in the year and they intend to operate the proposed plants on the same schedule. Both concerns are firmly established. The members of the two companies have been in conference with the industrial committee of the Commercial Club and definite action is expected shortly.

STOCKHOLDERS OF SEYMOUR NATIONAL HOLD MEETING

Following Election of Directors the Officers for Coming Year Are Chosen.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Seymour National Bank was held in the directors' room at the banking building today. The stockholders elected the following directors: Dr. J. M. Shields, J. G. Laupus, James Honan, C. L. Kessler and Lynn Faulkner.

The directors then went into session and re-elected the following officers: Lynn Faulkner, president; Dr. J. M. Shields, vice-president; J. S. Mills, cashier; Walter Droege, assistant cashier; J. P. Honan, teller; Lynn Faulkner, bookkeeper; Miss Louise Vosbrink, assistant bookkeeper.

The meetings of the stockholders and directors today were taken up entirely with the election and other routine matters of business.

Former Governor Hanly will speak at the First Baptist church Thursday night. Don't fail to hear this eloquent speaker. j11d
Mayes' Red Rose Flour, per bag \$1.10
Navel Oranges, per doz. 10c
Fancy Queen Olives, per pint. 17c
Lima Beans, per lb. 10c
Mayes Cash Grocery. j11d

SUPPLY OF INCOME BLANKS RECEIVED

Forms Sent to Postmaster Swope by the Collector of Internal Revenue at Indianapolis.

REQUIREMENTS OF THE LAW

Every Person Having Annual Income of \$3,000 and Above Must File a Report.

Postmaster Swope has received from the collector of internal revenue at Indianapolis a supply of the income tax blanks with instructions to distribute them upon request. The form is known as "1040" and the law requires that each person having an annual income of \$3,000 or more shall fill out the blank and file it with the internal revenue collector not later than March 1. The penalty for failure to return the blank at the proper time is fixed as from \$20 to \$1,000. Quite a few blanks are filed in this city each year. The word "income" is defined as meaning all receipts including salaries, dividends and interest.

The blank form is prepared in such a manner that when the questions are answered the collector will have a detailed knowledge of the character of the income, whether it comes from rents, profits or salary and just how many bonds each one filing a blank holds. The first division of the blank calls for a general summary of gross income and general deductions leaving the net income.

The second division calls for the amount of personal exemption, amount of income subject to normal tax and the amount subject to higher rates. In the third division are listed various amounts with the rate of taxation for each. The rate is one per cent. on all incomes over \$20,000 and not exceeding \$40,000 and extends to thirteen per cent. on all incomes over \$2,000,000.

The government is not content to know what the income of the head of the house might be but wants to know what his wife's income is, providing of course that it is \$3,000 or more annually. One section of the blank calls for a detailed statement of the sources of revenue and under each question is a second blank for the wife's income. Blanks are also left for persons sending such reports to the collector to show the losses they have sustained during the year and these amounts may be deducted from the total income. In the case of revenue from property, losses resulting from depreciation and wear and tear on the property may also be deducted.

Important instructions regarding the report read:

This return shall be made by every nonresident alien receiving any net income from sources in the United States. A nonresident alien individual may receive the benefit of the personal exemption only by filing or causing to be filed with the Collector of Internal Revenue a true and accurate return of his total income, received from all sources, corporate or otherwise, in the United States.

An unmarried individual or married individual not living with husband or wife shall be allowed an exemption of \$3,000. When husband and wife live together they shall be allowed jointly a total exemption of only \$4,000 on their aggregate income. The head of a family shall be allowed an exemption of \$4,000. Guardians or trustees shall be allowed an exemption of \$3,000 in favor of each ward, but in no event shall a ward be allowed a greater personal exemption than \$3,000 or, if married, \$4,000, from the amount of net income received from all sources. There shall be allowed an exemption of \$3,000 from the amount of the net income of estate of deceased persons during the period of administration or settlement, and of trusts or other estates the income of which is not distributed annually.

Wm. F. Cody Dead.

By United Press. Denver, January 10.—William F. Cody (Buffalo Bill) is dead. The noted plainsman and scout breathed his last at 12:05 p. m. today. His death has been expected for several days.

Republican Want Ads. Get Results.

HINTERLITER FOUND GUILTY OF "AIR BUBBLE" MURDER

Illinois Lad to Serve Prison Sentence for Death of Paoli, (Ind) Girl.

By United Press.

Olney, Ill., January 10.—The jury in the case of Roy Hinterliter, charged with the "air bubble" murder of Elizabeth Ratcliffe, returned a verdict of guilty of manslaughter today after twelve hours deliberation.

The decision came after a dramatic climax in the court room forty-five minutes before when the court ordered the jury which has reported with their verdict back to their jury room. The clerk read the verdict of guilty of manslaughter in the first degree.

"Are you satisfied with your verdict?" Judge Miller asked the jurors. "No, I am not," answered one juror.

The court then ordered further deliberation and the jury returned with the verdict which was accepted.

A motion for a new trial was overruled.

GREEK COUNCIL IN FAVOR OF ACCEPTING DEMANDS

Entente Powers Issue Ultimatum that Terms Must be Met Within 48 Hours.

By United Press.

Athens, January 10.—The crown council of Greece favors acceptance of the allies' demands as outlined in the note just received, according to reliable reports received today. Prompt answer to the original allied demands was required in an ultimatum issued yesterday. This insisted upon an answer within forty-eight hours. The ultimatum requires acceptance of the demands which are as follows:

Reduction of the Greek military forces; prohibition against Greek reservists' meetings; release of Venizelos prisoners; formal apology to the ententes for an attack upon its troops, embassy and flags and a change in the command of the first Greek army.

INHERITANCE TAX CASE HEARD IN CIRCUIT COURT

Heirs of the Late Mrs. Catherine Hinderliter File Objections to Appraisement.

A case filed by the heirs of the late Mrs. Catherine Hinderliter, against the appraisement of the estate for inheritance tax purposes was on trial in circuit court this afternoon. The heirs, Dan and Joel Hinderliter and Mrs. Rucker, allege that the appraisement was too high and appealed from the report. The estate is valued at approximately \$100,000.

The jury hearing the case of F. H. Heideman, undertaker, against the Shade estate for a claim of \$116 for expenses connected with the burial of the late Anna Helmbrecht had not returned a finding late this afternoon.

The divorce case filed by Minnie Reynolds against Jefferson A. Reynolds, which was tried Tuesday, was taken under advisement by the court.

Other court actions are: State of Indiana vs. Thos. O. Pollard for wife desertion. Set for trial on the 19th day of January, 1917.

John H. Mellenkamp, Jr., et al., ex parte, for drain. Louis Koop, Chas. H. Cordes and Wm. Plummer withdraw from the petition in this cause.

Queen Coal and Mining Co., has brought suit against the Brownstown Water and Light Company, on account, for coal. Amount demanded in complaint, \$600.

Fred Toborg has brought suit against Andrew Story and Charles Foist, on note. Amount demanded in complaint \$200.00.

Louis F. Reese has filed suit against Frank Fuson, et al., to foreclose mortgage on real estate. Demand \$600.

Notice to Eagles.

Social dance at Eagles' Hall Wednesday night, January 10, at eight o'clock for members and their families. j10d

You bought for some one a Christmas present that you really wanted yourself. Now go to the Barlow Gift Shop and buy something "for keeps." 408 Indianapolis Ave.

Don't forget the Flying Squadron meeting at the First Baptist church Thursday night. j11d

BILL TO CHANGE STATE'S BASIC LAW

Senators Negley and Simmons Present Measure Calling for Constitutional Convention.

PROVISION FOR AN ELECTION

First Bill Aimed at High Cost of Living Introduced by Senator Negley.

By United Press.

Indianapolis, January 10.—The bill providing for the calling for a constitutional convention was introduced by in the senate today by Senator Harry E. Negley, of Indianapolis, Republican, and Senator Abraham Simmons, of Bluffton, Democrat, the two senators acting jointly.

The bill provides for an election to be held on the fourth Saturday of next September, when delegates will be chosen. The convention shall be made up of 115 delegates, each senatorial district electing twice as many delegates as there are senators, the remaining fifteen to be chosen by the state at large.

Candidates for delegates may be nominated by petition only, the petitions to be signed by two hundred qualified voters of any district. The names of the candidates nominated will be placed on ballots without any emblem or party designation.

The bill would submit the following subjects for consideration to the convention; prohibition, woman suffrage; initiative and referendum "and whatever other measures deemed advisable." Delegates to the convention would receive the same pay and mileage as members of the legislature.

The first bill aimed at the high cost of living was introduced by Senator Negley. It provides that no city in Indiana can impose a license on peddlers or hawkers who are trying to sell goods which they produced themselves. The bill also calls for an investigation of high food prices by a senate committee.

Prohibition of the sale of liquor on trains is asked in a bill presented by Representative Wood of Rensselaer.

Representative Harker, of Frankfort, introduced a measure providing that a father who has been ordered to support his children and fails to comply with the order shall not be permitted to leave the state.

CONTRADICTORY TESTIMONY IN NOTE LEAK INQUIRY

Newspaperman Testifies Concerning Lansing's Statement When Note was Released.

By United Press.

Washington, January 10.—The first contradictory testimony of the note leak probe came today when Archie Jamieson, state department reporter for the Central News in describing how Lansing gave the newspaper men the confidential information on the note said:

"Lansing said he was giving us the information because he did not want it to come back in garbled form from abroad and injuriously affect the market."

Representative Lenroot then read Secretary Lansing's testimony to the effect that "he did not have the market in mind" when he gave the tip to an imposed secrecy upon the reporters."

R. W. Bolling, brother of President Wilson's wife, testifying today, demanded an apology from Representative Wood for bringing his name into the leak probe.

ANDERSON MAN HANGS HIMSELF IN JAIL CELL

Otto Smith Arrested for Shooting Former Wife and Her Companion.

Anderson, Ind., January 10.—The body of Otto Smith was found hanging in jail today. He had committed suicide following his arrest on the charge of shooting his former wife, Blanche Arnold and Carl Schunk, a companion. Smith met the couple on the street and immediately started shooting. The woman and her escort were both wounded but not seriously. Jealousy is believed to be the cause of the shooting.

TEUTONS GAIN MORE GROUND

In Drive Against Sereth Line
In Moldavia.

RUSS RE-CAPTURE ISLAND

Artillery Activities and Raiding Operations Reported Along the Austro-Italian Front—Germans Hurled Back In Riga Region.

London, Jan. 10.—The Teutonic drive against the Sereth line in southern Moldavia continues to gain ground and the thrust against the Moldavian frontier mountains in the flanking operations under way is likewise showing progress.

Pushing northward from Fokshani, the fortress position captured south-east of the Sereth, the Teutons now have driven the Russians across the Putna and are hammering at a new position they have taken up there. Further southeast, toward the Danube, the Russians are beginning to yield again, according to Berlin's report, losing another town which the Austro-Germans held against counter attacks.

The report from Petrograd notes that the Russians along one sector of the front in Roumania have fallen back without hindrance by the Teutons to new positions along the Putna and Sereth.

German troops along the northern end of the Russian front launched an offensive on positions south of Lake Babit in the Riga region, but, according to the Russian official report, they were thrown back under fire of the Russian guns and infantry counter attacks.

The Russians by a surprise attack recaptured the island of Gaudon, which they lost recently, and took seven machine guns and four trench mortars from the Germans, afterward repulsing a counter attack.

One point favoring the Russians in their defense is the superior communication routes they now command. Behind the advancing Teutons the railway lines have thinned out, but in the rear of the Russian positions lies a network of roads over which men and supplies may be brought to the front. These are fed both from Kishinev, on the east, and Czernowitz, on the north, and an important lateral line running through Tecutchiu, northeast of Foksha northwestward through Dantzin to Onna, virtually parallels the present front.

Artillery activities and raiding operations along the Austro-Italian front are reported in the war office statement. Austrian aircraft that attempted attacks on points within the Italian line were driven off. Italian aviators carried out several successful bombardments of military objectives.

On the Franco-Belgian front there have been only raiding operations and artillery duels.

VOTES TO MAKE CAPITAL DRY

Senate Passes Sheppard Bill Forbidding Sale of Liquor.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The Sheppard prohibition bill, forbidding the sale of intoxicating liquor in the District of Columbia, but permitting small importations for personal use, passed the senate 55 to 32.

Advocates of prohibition won the first stage of their fight to make the national capital "dry," when by a tie vote the proposal to submit the question to a referendum of voters in the District of Columbia was lost in the senate. The vote was 43 to 43.

Senator Smith of Georgia, Democrat, opposed the referendum, as did Senator Gallinger, Republican leader. The bill which abolishes saloons after Nov. 1, 1917, now goes to the house.

Subsea to Bring Diamonds.

Amsterdam, Jan. 10.—According to the Handelsblad more than 1,000,000 marks worth of German cut diamonds will be shipped at an early date to America by a German submarine freighter.

BETTER THAN CALOMEL

Thousands Have Discovered Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. They are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel. His efforts to banish it brought out these little olive-colored tablets.

These pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the teeth like strong liquids or calomel. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel, but to let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Most headaches, "dullness" and that lazy feeling come from constipation and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "lumpy" and "heavy." Note how they "clear" clouded brain and how they "perk up" the spirits. 10c and 25c a box. All druggists

LIEUTENANT J. E. MILLER

Army Aviator Who
Froze Nose In Flight.



Photo by American Press Association.

SUFFS WILL PICKET WHITE HOUSE GROUNDS

President Favors Cause, Will
Not Commit Party.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Woman suffragists, after another futile appeal to President Wilson for his support of the Susan B. Anthony amendment, announced plans for picketing the White House grounds with "silent sentinels."

The move was acknowledged to be a step in the new policy of mild militancy, which began with the coup in the house gallery on Dec. 6 when a party of suffragists unfurled a "Votes for Women" banner while the president was making his opening address.

What the White House authorities will do about the pickets is not known. After the women had their audience they returned to headquarters of the Congressional union, formed their new plans and held a meeting pledging \$3,000 for the "silent sentinel" campaign.

Headed by Miss Maud Younger and Mrs. Sara Bard Field 300 suffragists from the Congressional union went to see the president ostensibly to present memorials on the death of Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissensvain.

When they made it the occasion to renew their pleas that he support the suffrage amendment the president expressed his surprise, reminded the spokesmen of the party that he had not been apprised of their full purpose and was not prepared to say any more than he had on previous occasions. He repeated that he believed personally in their cause, but as the leader of his party could not commit it to action it had not indorsed.

The president stated he could not understand why women failed to realize that the Democratic party had done most for the advancement of suffrage.

AWARDED \$8 A WEEK FOR LIFE

Man Made Blind Gets Payments Under Compensation Act.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 10.—An award involving the largest possible payment yet made under the workmen's compensation law of Colorado was ordered recently by the state industrial commission in disposing of the case of G. S. Chamberlain vs. the G. L. S. Leasing company of Red Cliff and the Globe Insurance company.

Chamberlain was awarded \$8 a week for life on account of the loss of his eyesight as a result of an explosion while in the employ of the leasing company. As he is only twenty-eight years old, his life "expectancy" as figured by insurance actuary tables renders it possible for him to receive between \$15,000 and \$16,000 in compensation payments at the rate of \$8 per week.

Caught When Building Fell.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 10.—Three persons were badly injured, two probably fatally, and scores had narrow escapes when a part of the five-story warehouse of the Cleveland Storage company collapsed. Two employees were taken from the debris and sent to a hospital, probably fatally injured.

Bandits Fire Kills Train Passengers

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 10.—A Villist band under Ochoa fired on a south bound passenger train thirty miles below Juarez, killing and wounding several passengers, according to reports reaching United States authorities here. The train speeded up and reached Chihuahua City safely.

American Attache Recalled.

Paris, Jan. 10.—Colonel Spencer Crosby, military attache of the American embassy here, has been ordered to return to Washington. He will be succeeded by Captain Carl Boyd, who now is connected with the embassy.

THAW ACCUSED OF KIDNAPING

Indicted For Luring Youth to
Room and Beating Him.

BODYGUARD IS ARRESTED

Slayer of Stanford White Is Sought
by Authorities—Whipping Was Declared to Be Mania by Alienists For State In Insanity Trial.

New York, Jan. 10.—Charged with having kidnapped Fred Gump, Jr., of Kansas City, Mo., a nineteen-year-old youth, and with assaulting him with a whip, Harry K. Thaw, who was legally released fifteen months ago from an asylum for the insane, where he was sent after he killed Stanford White, has been indicted.

A man described as George F. O'Byrnes, and supposed to have been employed by Thaw as a bodyguard, was indicted with him. Word was received that O'Byrnes had been arrested in Philadelphia and detectives were looking for Thaw.

The complaint, which was placed against Thaw with District Attorney Swann by Frank P. Walsh, former chairman of the United States industrial relations commission, appearing now as Gump's counsel, alleges that Thaw enticed the youth to his rooms at a hotel here Christmas night and there beat him with two whips three different times until he bled and became almost unconscious.

Testimony describing the whipping of young girls by Thaw made up some of the most sensational chapters in the numerous court actions on the question of Thaw's sanity after his acquittal of the murder of Stanford White on the grounds of insanity and his commitment to the Matteawan state hospital for the criminal insane. Alienists for the state testified that whipping was a mania with Thaw.

After several years' litigation at a cost of several hundred thousand dollars to New York state and to Thaw and in which bitter partisanship was engendered as to whether he was justly or unjustly kept in Matteawan, he was declared sane by a jury in habeas corpus proceedings in the latter part of 1915 and released by a court order.

According to the information laid before the district attorney, it was toward the end of 1915 that Thaw first met and became interested in Gump. He had gone to California after his release here to attend the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco and later went to the southern part of the state, spending some time at Long Beach, Cal., where he met Gump at an ice cream parlor.

After Thaw left California, he continued to correspond with Gump, according to the information given the district attorney by Mr. Walsh. The exchange of letters continued through 1916, Thaw expressing a great interest in the boy's future and a wish to pay for his education abroad.

Although proffers of money by Thaw were refused, the boy at last came on to New York and went to Thaw's hotel, where it is alleged the assault took place.

SIX AIDS TO ACCOMPANY HIM

Austrian Ambassador to U. S. to
Leave Wife In Vienna.

Vienna (via London), Jan. 10.—A formal farewell luncheon was given to Count and Countess Tarnowski by Mrs. Penfield, wife of the United States ambassador. Count Tarnowski will sail from Rotterdam, Jan. 13, for the United States to assume his duties there as Austrian ambassador. He has taken passage on the Holland liner Noordam and will be accompanied by six secretaries and servants, but Countess Tarnowski will remain in Vienna.

The assurance of safe conduct given by the British and French governments have been informal. Grant Smith, counselor to the American embassy, will be a fellow-passenger with Count Tarnowski on the Noordam.

NEW NOTE SENT TO GREECE

Said to Demand Prompt Compliance
With Allied Demands.

London, Jan. 10.—The Times says it understands that a note was drawn up at the entente allied conference in Rome and has been dispatched to Greece.

"It requires," the Times adds, "prompt compliance with all the previous demands of the allies and notification of the acceptance of those demands by the Greek government within a period which it is believed does not exceed forty-eight hours."

Negro on Board of Education.

New York, Jan. 10.—Dr. E. P. Roberts, a negro, has been appointed a member of the board of education by Mayor Mitchell, who also announced the appointment of eleven other persons to the board.

King Receives Bread Card.

Athens (via London), Jan. 10.—King Constantine has applied for and received the regular bread card which is issued to all heads of families.

HARRY K. THAW

Again In Limelight, He Is
Charged With Kidnaping.



Photo by American Press Association.

LEE HEARING WILL COME UP FRIDAY

Bill Provides For Voting by
Absent Citizens.

Indianapolis, Jan. 10.—Governor Goodrich has decided not to postpone the date for the hearing of the charges against Edwin M. Lee as a member of the public service commission. The hearing will be opened at 10 o'clock Friday morning in the office of the governor.

The charges against Lee were filed in the name of Bernard E. O'Connor of Indianapolis, Democrat, who alleges that in the meaning of the public service commission law Lee is "incompetent" to sit as a member of the commission and that while he was appointed as a Progressive he is in reality a Democrat.

O'Connor points out that under the law not more than three of the five members of the commission may be members of one party and that there were three Democrats on the commission at the time of Lee's appointment.

Voters of Indiana who are absent from the state on election days will have the right to cast their ballots by mail under the terms of a bill introduced by Senator William E. English.

One of the reasons for the introduction of the bill was supplied by the units of the Indiana national guard that were on the Texas border when a general election was held last November. As a result the soldiers lost their votes.

Amendments to the primary election law, changing the city primary dates, were proposed in a bill introduced by Senator Dwight M. Kinder, from Lake, Porter, Jasper and Newton counties. Under its terms cities outside of Indianapolis would hold their primaries on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in September in each year when a general election was to be held.

Indianapolis, as a city of the first class, is made an exception on the theory that its size makes it necessary for more time to be given to a campaign by any candidate who wishes to get his policies clearly before the voters.

FOODS HELD IN STORAGE

Stocks of Beef Larger Than Year
Ago; Less Produce.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Stocks of beef held in cold storage Jan. 1 were much larger than a year ago, the federal bureau of markets announces. Frozen beef reported by 152 firms was 155,000,000 pounds, as compared with 126,000,000 pounds Jan. 1, 1916, a 22 per cent increase. Cured beef reported by 179 firms was 38,000,000 pounds, as compared with 21,000,000 pounds a year ago, an 80 per cent increase. Other meats showed smaller increases.

Reports on eggs, creamery butter and American cheese in storage Jan. 1 indicated decreases under the stocks a year before of 41, 8 and 13 per cent, respectively. Apples decreased 30 cent.

New Adjutant Takes Up Duties.

Indianapolis, Jan. 10.—Harry B. Smith, the new adjutant-general of the Indiana national guard, by appointment from Governor Goodrich has taken up the duties of his office. Franklin L. Bridges, the retiring adjutant-general, was in the office with Adjutant-General Smith, familiarizing him with the routine business of the office.

Will Continue Rail Committee.

Washington, Jan. 10.—The senate joint resolution continuing the Newlands-Adamson railroad investigating committee until Dec. 3, next, was adopted by the house by a vote of 140 to 61. The resolution now goes to the president for signature.

If You Suffer From Catarrh

don't make the fatal mistake of regarding it as a trifling matter. Authorities agree that Catarrh is an infection of the blood. Consequently, sprays, salves and lotions can afford only temporary relief, because they do not reach the source of the disease—the blood. When you depend on these temporary remedies alone your case is likely to grow steadily worse until it becomes chronic and possibly affects the lungs.

But even if the infection does not go this far, the continuous dripping of mucous in the throat, the constant

spitting and hawking and evil odor of the breath will not only cause misery to you, but will make your presence obnoxious to others. S. S. S., which has been the standard blood medicine for fifty years, will relieve your catarrh, because it will purify your blood and relieve it of the accumulated poisons. S. S. S. contains no mineral or habit-forming drugs. S. S. S. is on sale at all druggists and the advice of our medical department is at your disposal, free of charge. Swift Specific Co., 302 Swift Building, Atlanta, Ga.

COMMITTEE MAY QUIT LEAK PROBE

Hints Unfavorable Report on
Formal Inquiry.

FOUR CONTEMPT MOTIONS

Lawson Continues to Defy Committee by Giving Names of High Officials in Leak Inquiry Unless Congress Orders An Investigation.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Notwithstanding the promise of Thomas W. Lawson to disclose "names and amounts" involving men high in official life if congress ordered an inquiry into the alleged leak in advance of President Wilson's peace note, there were indications that the house rules committee was about to drop its hearings on the Wood resolution for such an investigation and return the resolution to the house with an adverse report.

Mr. Lawson continued to defy the committee, refusing over and over again to give the names of the men he said he had been told profited by the "leak" after suggesting that he could name an official higher up than any yet mentioned.

Four motions to cite him before the bar of the house for contempt pending when he left the witness stand early in the day were considered by the committee in executive session. No decision was reached, but some of the members indicated later that Mr. Lawson probably would not be recalled, and that if it was determined to report the Wood resolution unfavorably the contempt charges would be forgotten. In the meantime the financier remains in Washington, subject to the committee's orders.

The hearing will continue through today, at least, to give several of the men mentioned in the various reports and rumors related before the committee an opportunity to make statements.

Bernard Baruch of New York, whose name has been mentioned in the stories of money made through a "leak," took the stand and denied that he had any advance information whatsoever on the president's peace note, the German proposals or Lloyd George's speech.

Departing from the direct line of the investigation, Chairman Henry asked:

"Suppose congress should pass a law requiring all these stock exchanges to be incorporated and requiring that all transactions be made a matter of public record, would that not have a good effect?"

"I do not think so," the witness replied. "As it is today, every transaction is recorded and must be. I do not see what could be gained."

Charles H. Sabin, president of the Guaranty Trust company of New York, who was brought here on a subpoena at the suggestion of Mr. Lawson, just as he was about to leave for Europe on his honeymoon, corroborated a story told by Lawson to the effect that in October he called representatives of New York newspapers to his office and told them that he had reason to believe that the German government was about to ask President Wilson to suggest peace to the allies. This information, he said, came to him through sources not connected with the United States government and he gave it out because he felt the country was entitled to know it because of the effect such a move would have on the affairs of the nation.

Otto Kahn of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., who was called at the suggestion of Representative Wood, read into the record a statement denying that he was in any connected with a "leak" or that he ever had sold short in his life. He was excused after testifying briefly.

Allan Curtis of Boston, called by the committee on a suggestion that he might be the "A. Curtis" who wrote to Representative Wood, occupied the stand long enough to deny that he was the writer.

A bill designed especially to provide for the punishment of persons who refuse to testify at the "leak" inquiry committee was introduced by Representative Caldwell, of New York.

MEXICANS DELAY ANSWERING

Dissolution of Joint Commission
Again Put Off.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Another delay in the dissolution of the Mexican American joint commission resulted through the failure of the Mexicans to deliver an unequivocal answer to

the American commissioners' refusal to accede to Carranza's appeal for further negotiations in spite of his rejection of the protocol.

Alberto J. Pani, one of the Mexican commissioners, personally delivered to Secretary Lane, chairman of the American commissioners, a letter acknowledging receipt of the American note and expressing the opinion that much had been done to effect an understanding of the points of view of the two countries and that much more might be accomplished. Mr. Pani and Secretary Lane agreed that one more meeting of the joint commission should be held.

SHEEP BREEDERS IN SESSION

Corn Show at Purdue Short Course
Center of Interest.

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 10.—The annual convention of the Indiana Sheep Breeders' and Feeders' association was one of the principal features at the short course for farmers at Purdue university.

Professor F. G. King, secretary of the association, read a paper in which he said sheep are more responsive to feeding than any other class of fattening animals. Clover or alfalfa, he said, is the best roughage for sheep.

The annual corn show, which opened today, is the center of much interest. The exhibits this year are more numerous than ever before and the quality of the corn shown also is of a superior grade.

Classes also are being conducted for the sons and daughters of farmers who are attending the short course and for farm women.

BIG SLUMP IN COAL PRICES

Federal Department of Justice Is Continuing Investigation.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Hard coal is selling in Chicago at from \$1.65 to \$3 a ton less than a week ago, despite previous predictions of a rise in prices. Bituminous coal, quoted at \$5.50 a ton, was selling at from \$1 to \$1.50 below the price of a week ago.

Although it seemed that the local coal shortage practically was overcome, officers of the federal department of justice continued an investigation begun some weeks ago into conditions in the coal market.

Vocation Training Bill Passes House.

Washington, Jan. 10.—Without a record vote the house passed the house vocational training bill providing for federal aid to the several states for instruction in agriculture and the mechanical and industrial arts. The bill, which passed the senate last session, will now go to conference.

U. S. To Supervise Election In Haiti.

Port Au Prince, Haiti, Jan. 10.—United States naval officers will supervise the election in Haiti next Monday to insure an honest count. The people express satisfaction with this supervision, declaring that they feel sure it will result in an absence of political dissension.

STIFF, SORE MUSCLES RELIEVED.

Cramped muscles or soreness following a cold or case of grippé are eased and relieved by an application of Sloan's Liniment. Does not stain the skin or clog the pores like mussy ointments, or plasters and penetrates quickly without rubbing. Linger up your muscles after exercise, drive out the pains and aches of rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, strains, sprains and bruises with Sloan's Liniment. Get a bottle today. At all Druggists, 25c.

Lingering Coughs Are Dangerous.

Get rid of that tickling cough that keeps you awake at night and drains your vitality and energy. Dr. King's New Discovery is a pleasant balsam remedy, antiseptic, laxative and promptly effective. It soothes the irritated membrane and kills the cold germs; your cough is soon relieved. Delay is dangerous—get Dr. King's New Discovery at once. For nearly fifty years it has been the favorite remedy for grippé, croup, coughs and colds. Get a bottle today at your Druggist, 50c.

CONSTIPATION MAKES YOU DULL.

That draggy, listless, oppressed feeling generally results from constipation. The intestines are clogged and the blood becomes poisoned. Relieve this condition at once with Dr. King's New Life Pills; this gentle, non-gripping laxative is quickly effective. A dose at bedtime will make you feel brighter in the morning. Get a bottle today at your Druggist, 25c.

Winter Brings Colds to Children.

A child rarely goes through the whole winter without a cold, and every mother should have a reliable remedy handy. Fever, sore throat, tight chest and croupy coughs are sure symptoms. A dose of Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey will loosen the phlegm, relieve the congested lungs and stop the cough. Its antiseptic pine balsams heal and soothe. For croup, whooping cough and chronic bronchial troubles try Dr. Bell's Pine Tar Honey. At all Druggists, 25c.

Senreco

—the tooth paste that protects your teeth. Use it twice daily. See your dentist twice yearly and keep your teeth in perfect condition

Get a tube today, read the folder about the most general disease in the world. Start the Senreco treatment tonight. 25c at your druggists. For sample send 4c stamps or coin, to The Senreco Remedies Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

A DENTISTS FORMULA

True Secret of Keeping Youthful Looking

(The Beauty Seeker.)

"The real secret of keeping young-looking and beautiful," says a well-known hygienist, "is to keep the liver and bowels normally active. Without these requisites, poisonous waste products remain in the system, polluting the blood and lodging in various organs, tissues, joints. One becomes flabby, obese, nervous, mentally sluggish, dull-eyed, wrinkled and sallow of face.

"But to get liver and bowels working as they ought, without producing evil after-effects has been the problem. Fortunately, there is a prescription of unquestioned merit, which may now be had in convenient tablet form. Its value is due largely to an ingredient derived from the humble May apple, or its root, which has been called 'vegetable calomel' because of its effectiveness—though, of course, it is not to be classed with the real calomel of mercurial origin. There is no habit-forming constituent in 'senreco' tablets—that's the name—and their use is not followed by weakness or exhaustion. On the contrary, these harmless vegetable tablets tend to impart tone and elasticity to the relaxed intestinal wall. Senreco tablets, which may be procured from any druggist—a dime's worth will do—will prove a revelation to any constipated, liver-troubled person."

Senreco Tablets

conquer constipation—
liven up a lazy liver—
banish biliousness—

10c and 25c at druggists!

SHOPS AND PLANTS FAVOR INDUSTRIAL BETTERMENT WORK

Actively Aid Welfare Plans of Every Description For Employees.

PHILANTHROPY NOT INTENT.

Comfort and Contentment of the Workers Considered Paramount.

Hundreds of millions of dollars have been expended during the past decade by American manufacturers for those forms of industrial betterment, in behalf of employees, that are generally classed as philanthropic or beyond the mere requirements of laws and contracts.

Decent manufacturers—and they are in the vast majority—as are the decent people of other classes—are opposed to grinding child labor, and they strive to pay a living wage to all of their employees. They go much farther than that, as a study of American industry will show. They devote time, money and effort to provide every possible supplementary means for promoting the convenience, the comfort, the health, contentment and happiness of their workers and of the families of employees. Very few manufacturers consider such work or expenditure to be philanthropy, but, rather, a necessary feature of their business. While their motives may be as altruistic as those of the average of mankind, they find that it is good, from the business point of view, to promote as far as possible the welfare of their employees. Industrial betterment pays.

Industrial betterment means an attempt to provide the best kind of working and living conditions, and it implies the co-operative responsibility of the wage earner and the employer in bringing those conditions about and in improving them from time to time. It is not a dote to be handed to the wage earner, but is a token of that spirit of mutuality which, under right conditions, should permeate industry.

A thorough description of industrial betterment activities in the United States would require more space than is contained in the most voluminous encyclopaedias to be found in the libraries. Indeed, volumes might be written about the welfare work of a single corporation alone—the National Cash Register Company, for instance, or the International Harvester Company, the United States Steel Corporation, Cheney Brothers, the Curtis Publishing Company, the Bethlehem Steel Company, the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, the Eastman Kodak Company, any one of the leading railroad companies, the principal banks, Wanamaker's, or any of a host of other concerns which have developed activities of the sort. There is hardly a concern in the country doing business on a fairly extensive scale that has not initiated some form of industrial betterment for its employees. The honors do not go to the larger companies exclusively either, for many of the smaller business units have developed this side of their activities to a remarkable extent. Naturally it is easier for the larger corporations to put highly trained specialists in charge of the various branches of industrial betterment work.

The fundamentals of industrial betterment are observed in furnishing pleasant, sanitary, safe working conditions. Educational and entertainment features, facilities for study and recreation, special opportunities for the exercise of thrift and provisions tending to remove the dread of and to mitigate the sufferings occasioned by sickness, disability or invalidity are matters which next receive attention. Well lighted, well ventilated and otherwise pleasant and safe working places, restaurants, reading rooms and libraries, rest rooms, emergency kits and hospitals, club rooms, assembly rooms, gymnasiums, lockers and bathing facilities, recreation grounds, bonus and profit sharing plans, special housing accommodations, facilities for the purchase of homes on easy payments, discounts in the purchase of goods, industrial and other educational classes, lectures for entertainment or instruction, moving pictures, excursions, field days, medical attendance, safety committees for accident and fire prevention, sickness, disability and invalidity funds,

GOOD ROADS

RAISE FUNDS FOR HIGHWAYS

Important Saving Effected by Issuing Good Road Bonds on Deferred Retirement Plan.

(From the United States Department of Agriculture.)

People of a county intending to raise funds for highway improvement would do well to consider the advantages to them of the deferred serial plan over the ordinary sinking fund plan of retiring long-term bonds. Under the serial plan, a certain amount of bonds is retired each year and the bonds so retired cease to be an interest charge on the community. Under the sinking fund plan none of the bonds is retireable until the end of a definite period, and the entire sum raised bears interest for the entire life of the bond. The county, therefore, pays interest on the money so borrowed and in addition sets aside each year as a sinking fund an amount sufficient to retire all the bonds when they become due. The sinking fund is deposited with banks and earns some interest. This interest ordinarily is only three per cent, whereas the county has to pay five or six per cent to its bondholders. The serial plan is a much cheaper method of raising money for road improvement, even when the sinking fund earns interest as high as four per cent, and in the opinion of the road specialists of the department should be utilized whenever it is possible to market serial bonds.

In a study of the road bond issues of several counties, J. E. Pennybacker and M. O. Eldridge of the division of road economics, office of public roads and rural engineering, found that the serial plan, if it had been adopted by several counties, would have saved the taxpayers in one county \$154,269, in another county \$80,702, and in a third county \$65,367 over the other plan with a sinking fund bearing interest at three per cent. With a sinking fund earning four per cent, the saving would have run as high as \$72,288 in one of these counties. These conclusions appear in the recently published Department Bulletin 393, Economic Surveys of County Highway Improvement.

The following concrete examples are taken from this bulletin:

"In Dallas County, Ala., the bonds amounted to \$350,000, payable in 30 years at five per cent. Assuming the sinking fund to bear three per cent interest, as set forth in the chapter on Dallas county, the total financial burden to the county for interest and the liquidation of the bonds during the 30-year period will be \$745,702.80. An equal amount of bonds at the same rate of interest, if issued under the deferred serial bond method, with the first bonds payable six years from the date of issuance and an equal amount payable each year thereafter for 24 years, would cost the county at the end of 30 years \$665,000, or a difference, as compared with the sinking fund method, of \$80,702. If four per cent could be realized on the sinking fund instead of three per cent, the saving for the deferred serial plan over the sinking fund plan would still be \$47,216.

"Lauderdale county, Mississippi, which issued \$500,000 of five and five and one-half per cent bonds, adopted the deferred serial-bond method, with the first payment coming 11 years from the date of issue and the last payment 25 years. If the county had issued the bonds on the 5-25-year basis the cost would have been \$906,875, as compared with the cost of the basis adopted of \$972,232, or a difference of \$65,357."

Even in the case of a small issue the advantage of the serial plan is illustrated in Dinwiddie County, Virginia. This county issued \$105,000 of five and six per cent bonds, payable in 30 years, but the bonds are callable after 20 years. Assuming that they will be retired at the end of 25 years

CLIMBED STAIRS ON HER HANDS

Too Ill to Walk Upright. Operation Advised. Saved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

This woman now raises chickens and does manual labor. Read her story:

Richmond, Ind.—"For two years I was so sick and weak with troubles from my age that when going up stairs I had to go very slowly with my hands on the steps, then sit down at the top to rest. The doctor said he thought I should have an operation, and my friends thought I would not live to move into our new house. My daughter asked me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as she had taken it with good results. I did so. My weakness disappeared, I gained in strength, moved into our new home, did all kinds of garden work, shoveled dirt, did building and cement work, and raised hundreds of chickens and ducks. I cannot say enough in praise of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and if these facts are useful you may publish them for the benefit of other women."—Mrs. M. O. JOHNSTON, Route D, Box 190, Richmond, Ind.

WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of the United States weather bureau, taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follows:

Temp.	Weather.
Boston..... 46	Rain.
Chicago..... 36	Clear.
Denver..... 46	Cloudy.
Indianapolis.... 42	Clear.
New Orleans.... 56	Clear.
New York..... 36	Clear.
Omaha..... 34	Pt. cloudy.
St. Louis..... 46	Cloudy.
San Francisco.. 42	Clear.
Washington.... 36	Clear.

Forecast—Snow.

JAPAN ADHERES TO PACT

Agreement Provides For Unification of Laws of Trade.

London, Jan. 10.—The foreign office announced that Japan had signified officially her adherence to the economic agreement arrived at by representatives of the entente powers at the Paris conference.

The agreement provides for unification of laws regulating trading with hostile countries, measures for commercial, industrial, agricultural and maritime reconstruction of the entente allied countries after the war and permanent commercial collaboration among the allies.

OLD LADY FEELING FINE

After Taking Four Bottles Of Cardui, The Woman's Tonic.

Cobden, Ill.—"Having used Cardui, the woman's tonic, in my family, for a number of years," writes Mrs. Kate Metz, of this town, "and always with such good results, I feel it my duty to write you about it, so that you may publish my letter.

My mother is living with me, and she is 52 years old. For the last three or four years, she has been troubled a great deal with cramping spells, and for days at a time, she would have a severe headache.

She read of how much Cardui has helped other women who were sick and ailing, and decided to give it a trial. She began taking it three times a day, and since then has been getting along simply fine.

My mother only used four bottles of Cardui, but she is no longer troubled with the severe headaches, and her stomach is so much stronger that she can eat most anything.

We both feel that any lady who is not strong and well, would be greatly benefited by the use of Cardui."

Try Cardui.

NCBS

Have You Been Sick?

Then you must know that sickness leaves weakness and you should commence taking

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to put an edge on your appetite, put power in your blood, induce restful sleep and restore your nerve force. Scott's is a true tonic-food which is free from alcohol.

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CHURCH TO HELP GOOD ROADS

Isolation and Solitary Confinement of Women Do Much Toward Filling Insane Asylums.

In a lecture on "The Church and Good Roads" the Rev. James Thomas told the ministers' conference in Denver, Colo., that, "The isolation and solitary confinement of the farm wife and the farm servant girl do much toward making these women form a considerable percentage of the inmates of insane asylums."

The speaker continued, "The good roads problem is one to which the church must very soon give material attention." The church is a force in any undertaking and good roads enthusiasts will welcome its efforts in behalf of rural welfare.—Houston Post.

IMPORTANT DUTY OF PEOPLE

Prompt Repair and Careful Maintenance of Good Roads Is Essential—Farmer Is Interested.

The making of good roads is one of the most important duties of the American people, and their prompt repair and careful maintenance is essential.

There is probably no subject in which the progressive farmer is more deeply interested than that of having roads connecting him with his markets, over which he may be able to haul the greatest possible load.

Work for Hired Man.

The hired man who is worth anything prefers to work where the business is well planned and definitely worked out.

Methods in Disrepute.

Slipshod, haphazard, general farming is in disrepute and the day of scientific and specialized effort has come to stay.

WANTED: A HOME FOR A BABY

I WONDER IF THESE FOLKS WANT A FINE BABY BOY? I'LL TRY THEM OUT FOR A WEEK AND SEE IF I LIKE THEM. I HOPE THEY TURN OUT BETTER THAN THOSE GADS I VISITED LAST WEEK!

WELL, BY JOVE! A BABY! JUST WHAT WE WANTED! TAKE GOOD CARE OF HIM, KATE, AND I'LL HUSTLE HOME FROM THE OFFICE TONIGHT!

YES! WE FOUND HIM ON THE STEPS IN A BASKET. FRANK WAS ALWAYS JUST CRAZY FOR A SON. DID YOU SEE MRS. LISCUMES NEW GREEN ROBE? MATCHES THE TREES, YOU KNOW!

WE HAD SHAD TODAY!

AIN'T HE INTELLIGENT!

LET GO OF IT DEAR! IT WILL STICK YOUR LITTLE PATTIES!

BLOODY MURDER!

AN I SAYS TO HER I SAYS I SEE HERE NOW, SAYS I, SHE NEVER DONE NOBODY NO HARM, SAYS I!

REALLY, I DON'T KNOW HOW I'D GET THRU WITHOUT MY 4 O'CLOCK CUP OF TEA!

GEE! AIN'T DINNER READY?

DINNER! SAKES ALIVE, MAN! I CAN'T TAKE CARE OF A BABY AND GET A DINNER BESIDES! YOU'LL HAVE TO GET A COOK FOR ME.

HON. J. FRANK HANLY

Former Governor of Indiana, and Prohibition Candidate for President.—

WILL ADDRESS THE PEOPLE OF SEYMOUR ON THE LIQUOR QUESTION, AT THE
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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Thursday Evening, January 11th, 8 O'clock

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1917.

SPEAKING OF ADVERTISING.

(Columbus Republican)

Last week's issue of the Saturday Evening Post contained 65 pages of advertising. The rate for the Post is \$5,000 a page. This rate is the same, whether the advertiser has an inside or outside cover, whether he has a double page or whether he has but one inch of advertising. The rate of \$5,000 stands for all and no preferred space is given.

Sixty-five pages of advertising at \$5,000 a page means a total of \$325,000 in advertising receipts for the publishers of the Post for one week alone. Of course, last week's Post was larger than the ordinary issue because the New York automobile show was impending and motor car manufacturers were investing in space to a greater degree than they invest in ordinary times.

Often a merchant is found who will not advertise because he thinks it is too expensive. He feels that his returns would not be sufficient and so he allows days and weeks to go by without his name appearing before the buying public.

Five thousand dollars for a page advertisement is a large sum of money. Yet the people who advertise in the Post are people who know advertising from first to last. They do not think of the high rate when they realize the quality and quantity of the circulation. The same rule holds good with smaller publications. No rate is too high when it gets the desired results. If a newspaper has circulation among people who have money to spend its rates will be cheap at any reasonable price. And a high rate in a widely read medium is far cheaper than a low rate in a publication that has a narrow circle of readers.

SAVING TIME.

No part of the new Governor's message received more hearty approval from the law makers than did the concluding paragraph, relating to the manner in which the legislative mill has been managed in times past. Said Governor Goodrich:

"I think it is not unjust to say that it has been customary for Legislatures to waste much time in the earlier stages of the session and that in the closing hours there is usually such a deluge of business that few know what is going on. Such methods of procedure give opportunity to throttle good legislation and make easy the enactment of much bad legislation."

On more than one occasion, in times gone by, has the rush, rumble and confusion incident to the closing days of a legislative session led to near-scandals. There has ever been a proneness among the law makers to take things easy during the first half of the session with the result that the members have to work night and day during the final sessions. This, of course, does not work to sobriety of thought, to say the least. With the members following the Governor's advice and conserving their hours during the early days there will be little of the makeshift legislation that too often has come through the mill during the final hours of a legislative session.

Surety of Peace Bond Asked.

Robert Woodard is named as the defendant in a surety of peace proceeding which was instituted Tuesday night in city court by Edwin Doane, plaintiff. The hearing is set for Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. In his complaint asking that Woodard be placed under a surety of peace bond, Doane alleges that he fears that the defendant will do him bodily injury. Woodard called at Doane's home, on South Chestnut street, Tuesday night when trouble is said to have occurred. Woodard said he wanted to talk to Doane and went to his house for that purpose. During the argument, Policeman Fink was called and interfered.

Interstate Public Service Company.

All bills are due now and payable at the office. January 10th is the last discount day. j10d

Why not pay your telephone rent when you pay your light bill?

PROPOSES CHANGE IN MOTOR TAX LAW

Representative Green Introduces
Bill to Have County Auditors
Issue License Tags.

TO RETAIN FEES COLLECTED

Suggested Amendment Would Abolish Present System of Distributing Money.

It appears almost certain that some change will be made by the present legislature in the automobile license law and in the manner of collecting and distributing fees. Several changes have been proposed and will be presented to the law-makers for their consideration during the session. If the present system is abolished Jackson county will not receive as big a division as it gets under the law now in force and consequently local people are watching the action of the legislature. Since the law became effective this county has always received more money from the state than was paid in as fees by owners of motor vehicles. The big distribution for this county was made possible because of the large mileage of improved roads.

Representative Green, of Fulton and Miami counties, was the first member of the legislature to introduce a bill providing for any kind of a change. The bill which he presented is very similar to the one urged by Representative Eschbach in the 1913 session and which precipitated one of the warmest fights of the session. The bill provides that county auditors shall distribute automobile tags and collect the fees thereon, the money so collected to be used in the various road funds of the county in which it is collected.

Under the present law the secretary of state collects the automobile license fees and the money is distributed to the various counties. The funds derived from this source

are first divided into three parts. One of these parts is divided equally among the counties of the state. The second is apportioned among the counties according to the number of miles of improved gravel roads in the county, and the third part is apportioned on the basis of the amount each county pays into the original fund.

The Green bill also provides that a driver arrested for operating his machine while under the influence of liquor shall be fined not less than \$50 and not more than \$100, to which may be added imprisonment of not less than thirty days. Conviction of a second offense, under the provisions of the bill makes it mandatory that a fine of not less than \$50 be assessed and a sentence of not less than thirty days and not more than six months be imposed.

The bill also provides that a driver who fails to stop or report an accident after it has happened shall be guilty of a felony and shall, on conviction, be fined not less than \$500 to which may be added imprisonment for not more than two years. Conviction of the second offense makes mandatory a fine of not less than \$500 and imprisonment for a term of not less than one year and not more than five years.

To obtain uniform license tags the bill provides that the secretary of state shall purchase them according to provisions made in the bill and shall be reimbursed by the county to which they are sent.

SEYMOUR AND WASHINGTON TO MEET ON DEBATE PLATFORM

High School Plan is to Have Two Teams Argue Same Subject—Other School Notes.

Although the date has not been definitely decided, two debates will be held between the Shields High School and the Washington High School. The plan is to have two teams from each city, one for the negative side of the argument, another for the affirmative. Then, on the night decided for the contest, the two negative teams will go to the city of their opponents, the other two remaining. In this way both debates will take place on the same night, and each school will be given the same chance to hear the arguments.

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ington authorities is, "Resolved, That immigration should be limited by the literacy test." At a time when this question is so much discussed, it is very appropriate and well adapted for debating.

The teams from Seymour will be chosen from the Senior and Junior classes, and preliminary debates will be held. This contest will be good training for the annual state meet, to which the local school always sends two representatives.

Arthur J. Beriault, of Indianapolis, made his weekly visit today. He is instructing several of the English classes in dramatic arts. Under his direction, four short plays are being worked up for presentation at the school building on Monday, January 22. "Heart's Heaven," "Riley Pictures," "Doc Horn," and "The County Chairman," will all be given, in a condensed form.

Miss Andrews continued the reading of the "Odyssey" this morning. Rapid progress is being made along the line of the pageant, and work will soon be started on the dramatization.

Miss Katherine Love rendered a piano solo at the Tuesday chapel hour, and Miss Gasaway gave several vocal selections.

The agriculture class went to Redington Tuesday afternoon, where they finished pruning the trees in an orchard there. The work had been commenced last week. Under Prof. A. E. Murphy, such practical work has been carried on for some time.

Presbyterian Church.

At the service tonight at 7:30 we begin study of the Wisdom literature of the Old Testament, considering first the book of Psalms. Everyone is requested to bring his Bible. An informal reception to incoming members follows the study hour.

J. H. More, Pastor.

M. E. Church.

On account of the glee club entertainment at the Majestic Theater tonight, prayer meeting at the First M. E. church will begin at 7 o'clock sharp.

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NEWSY PARAGRAPHS

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Douglass fell while at play at the high school building today and fractured his arm.

A letter received from Walter Bidwell, formerly of Seymour, announced that he was married to Miss Arah Smith, of Bloomington, Ind., December 8. They live in Toledo, Ohio, where he has an excellent position.

Gus Schultheis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Schultheis, of this city, underwent a serious operation at a hospital in Indianapolis Monday morning. His father received word this morning that he is getting along as well as can be expected. Mr. Schultheis is a carpenter foreman at Indianapolis and has been having a good run of work.

The district Knights of Pythias meeting is in session in Madison today. Several local Knights were

in attendance. A number of the officers of the grand lodge were present and discussed recent changes in the Pythian laws. A musical program was given by Madison talent at the public afternoon meeting. Following the secret night session a luncheon will be served.

Alfred Pollert left this morning for Akron, O., where he has accepted employment with the Goodrich Tire Company. Pollert recently returned from the border, where he served with Co. K.

In a runaway this afternoon the delivery wagon of the Star Bakery was practically demolished. The frightened horse ran west on Second street and smashed the wagon into a tree near the electric light plant.

Women Guard Railroad.
Athens (via London), Jan. 10.—The withdrawal of Greek troops from Thessaly virtually has been completed. Women armed with rifles are replacing the guards on the railroads, bridges and passes.

PERSONAL

Mrs. M. S. Blish spent the day in Indianapolis.

Mrs. C. Q. Rogers and son spent the day in Cincinnati.

Fred Niehaus went to Brownstown this morning on business.

Charles Bush went to Brownstown this morning on business.

Dr. C. E. Gillespie transacted business in North Vernon today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Davis returned this morning from Louisville.

H. H. Carter is spending several days in Chicago on business.

W. S. Welsh went to North Vernon today on a business trip.

Gus Schafstahl, of Cortland, was in the city today on business.

Henry Aufderheide went to Louisville this morning on business.

Harry Edwards went to Brownstown this morning on business.

Willard Weller went to Brownstown this morning on business.

Dr. C. L. Wilson was here from Brownstown today on business.

Albert H. Kasting was in North Vernon on legal business today.

Rev. Mr. Baumgart, of Waymansville, was here today on business.

J. E. Keifer, of Brownstown, went to Chicago last night on a business trip.

Willard Shannon, of Reddington, transacted business in the city today.

Mrs. Oscar Brooke, of Brownstown, spent the day with friends here.

Mrs. R. E. Viney, of Indianapolis, is spending several days with friends here.

Miss Mona Reed has returned home after an extended visit with relatives in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Humbert have gone to New York to spend the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. E. G. McClure, of North Vernon, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. James H. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Demarree returned from Milan where they were the guests of relatives.

J. B. Thomas, of the Thomas Clothing Company, spent the day in Cincinnati on business.

D. W. Lewis, of the Wells Fargo Express Co., went to Bridgeport, Ill., this morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook left this morning for Baltimore, where they will spend several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Browning, of Brownstown, are attending the Short Course at Purdue University this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Conner left this morning for St. Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Miss Louise Shotts returned to her home in Hamilton, O., today after a visit here with Mrs. Will Clark and Miss Luella Toms.

County Superintendent J. E. Payne, of Brownstown, was here today on his way to Redding township, where he inspected the township schools.

W. G. Geile, district deputy, P. A. Nichter and E. C. Rinne, representatives of Hermon Lodge K. of P., went to Madison this morning to attend the district K. of P. meeting.

Mrs. H. Crouse, of Paducah, Ky., and Miss Nora Baker, of Lafayette, who have been visiting Mrs. Mike Fox for the past two days, went to Louisville yesterday to visit friends.

Mrs. Edward Hughes and daughters, Mary Ann and Edna Louise, left Tuesday for their home in Dayton, O., after a visit with Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Swope.

The Wittenberg College Glee Club, of Springfield, Ohio, arrived in the city at noon from Indianapolis, and will be heard at the Majestic this evening. The club gave a concert at Indianapolis last evening, and goes from here to Louisville. The program includes, besides the ensemble members of the club, solo, quartette and sextet vocal numbers, brass quartette selections, readings, etc. The finale is a sketch entitled, "Old Wittenberg" in which many popular college songs and Hawaiian music are introduced. The club comes with the reputation of being one of the best college organizations in the country, and an enjoyable evening of genuine music is predicted. This afternoon the club visited the high school and gave several selections.

Huxley on Men.
Professor Huxley once wrote to Mrs. W. K. Clifford about men, "They are very queer animals—a mixture of horse nervousness, ass stubbornness and camel malice, with an angel bobbing about unexpectedly like the apple in the posset, and when they can do exactly as they please they are very hard to drive."

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If this weather keeps up the railroads will have to have a January clearance sale of Florida tickets.

Speaking of Ambassador Gerard's break at the Berlin banquet, the St. Louis Globe Democrat remarks: In these degenerate days he whom the gods would destroy is not made mad. Such severity is not necessary. The modern way is to give him a banquet and let him talk.

"The Republican party turns wistfully to the fake gospel of prohibition."—Louisville Courier Journal.

"Come! come! This effort to wish Col. Bryan on the G. O. P. is becoming a little too brazen."—Boston Transcript.

The Pea Ridge (Ark.) Pod, philosopher gets this one off: "Everybody likes a man who practices what he preaches, but the man who is always preaching what he practices is usually a bore."

Mr. Lansing is probably beginning to realize that perhaps after all Mr. Bryan wasn't so foolish in giving up his job.

Spain's cabinet has resigned. Cabinet resigning seems to be the order of the day everywhere except at Washington.

One kind of floorwalker is a well-dressed, polite, interested man who tells you which way you should go, and adds: "Forward sox," or something of that kind. Another floorwalker is a man in a nightshirt and slippers who looks the picture of distress and wonders whether it is eolie or eussedness that makes the hope of the family howl.—Louisville Courier Journal.

"Miners favor seven hour day and five day week," says a headline. Well, who wouldn't?

Harry Thaw is evidently getting jealous of the first page abilities of Tom Lawson and Representative Wood.

The railroads are working twenty-four hours a day to show the Supreme Court that there's nothing to the eight hour law.

Fashion arbiters announce that there will be no radical changes in men's apparel this year. What a relief to know that last year's Palm Beach and Panama, now reposing peacefully in the attic, will do for another summer.

About \$100,000,000 was spent in this country for candy last year; and about \$90,000,000 of it was spent by fellows trying to "cop out" some other fellow's girl.—Tampa Tribune.

Still a Secret.
Mrs. Judkins was endeavoring to console her young married daughter, who was weeping over her husband's shortcomings. "What could I do, my dear? I married you to Septimus because he vowed he had the secret of making you happy."

"True, m-m-mamma. It was a se-se-se-secret, and he k-k-k-k-kept it!"

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BOWLING NOTES.

Rube Davis and Heiny Bohnenkamp were the winners in their match contest with Grover Cordes and J. D. Woodruff at the Seymour alleys last evening. The totals for the five games were 1663 to 1571. Bohnenkamp's score of 197 in the third game was high for the evening.

The score follows:

Davis	177	154	188	170	170
Bohnenkamp	171	144	197	141	151
Total	348	298	385	311	321

Cordes	172	146	139	125	153
Woodruff	160	180	156	163	177
Total	332	326	295	288	330

Total1571

The winners of the match last night have been challenged by J. B. Thomas and Howard Burrell, and the match will be rolled sometime in the near future.

A meeting of bowlers interested in the organization of the proposed city league will be held this evening at the Seymour alleys, when the various teams will be selected. The schedule will then be arranged and the race for the pennant begun.

No Respector of Persons.
Mistress (to maidservant by way of mild rebuke)—I don't think your young man has very good manners. I noticed that he did not rise from his seat when I came into the kitchen.

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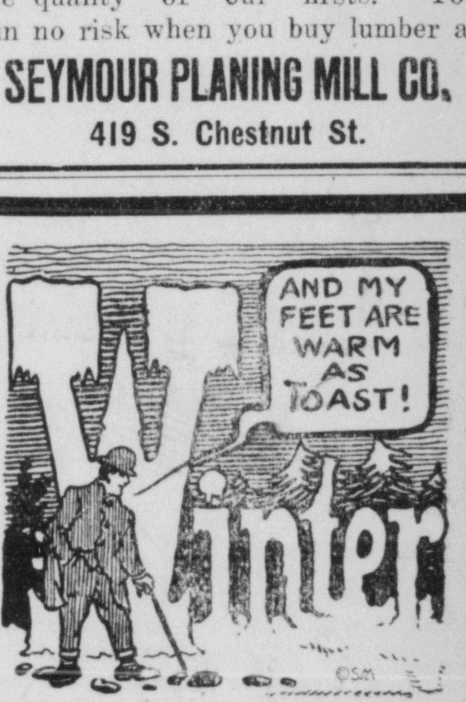
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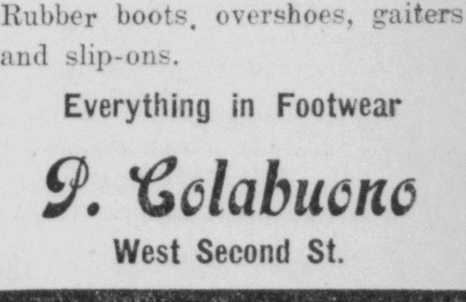


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HOADLEY'S

County Correspondents

ACME.

Born, to Ora Everitt and wife, Jan. 4, 1917, a daughter.

Mrs. Edna Anderson is quite ill with heart trouble.

A small child of Mrs. W. N. Nelson is quite ill.

Willie Dabb is ill with lung trouble.

Sunday School reports as follows: M. E. attendance 31, collection 76 cents; U. B. attendance 65, collection 41 cents; Christian attendance 32, collection 23 cents.

E. R. White went to Brownstown Saturday on business.

M. F. Rucker bought from William Spreen a lot of corn for 85 cents a bushel.

David D. Brown of Nigger Hill spent Monday with friends at this place.

Marion White and family were guests of his brother, E. R. White, Sunday.

Harvey Kite of Columbus came down Saturday and will be the guest of his sister, Mrs. Geo. Holtz, for a few days.

Dan Spray has erected a new smoke-house on his premises.

Guy Simmons, who has been west for several months, returned home Saturday.

H. H. Darlage, while returning from Brownstown Thursday stalled his car at Honeytown, which caused him much trouble before he reached home.

Quite a number from this place attended court at Brownstown last week.

Rev. D. I. Hammond and Isaac Smith of Freetown transacted business at this place Saturday.

Albert Rucker went to Brownstown Monday on business.

Albert Wright and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rucker Sunday.

L. J. Estep took the oath of office last Saturday as treasurer and secretary of the Surprise Telephone Company, Cask Kern, retiring.

C. C. Isaacs, wife and daughter, Miss Lorene, from near Spraytown visited their parents at this place Sunday.

Russell Whitcomb and wife of Gorbettown visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Estep, Sunday.

Elder Frank Leach of Freetown will preach at the Surprise Christian church next Sunday at 10:30. All invited to come out and hear him expound the gospel.

O. R. Anderson, wife and family and Chester Gorbett and wife were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Brooks Sunday.

William Rumph and wife of Pleasant Grove were guests of relatives at this place Sunday.

Henry Baute and wife visited relatives at Waymansville Sunday.

Laban Coffman of Surprise were dinner guests of Sam Anderson and wife Sunday.

Maurice Whitford went to Seymour Tuesday on business.

The whistle at Clyde Robertson's sawmill went wild Saturday night about ten o'clock, when it began blowing and continued to blow for over an hour, alarming the neighborhood, which feared some building was burning.

Bruce Isaacs and his lady friend were guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Boknecht near Borchers Church Sunday.

Quite a number of our young people attend church at Spraytown Sunday night.

J. B. Simmons attended the Baurley trial at Brownstown Thursday.

The superintendent of the Surprise Christian Sunday School makes his annual report as follows: The Secretary and Treasurer collected and received from the school for 1916 \$20.24; serving dinner at Wilbur Anderson's sale \$6.24; festival \$10.47; proceeds from picnic \$27.00; attending Pleasant Grove picnic \$1.00; total \$64.95. Scholars present during the year 1916, 1,170; scholars present for the year 1915, 1,040; gain over last year, 130. The school met fifty Sundays and failed to meet May 7 and Dec. 24, making a general average of about twenty-four each Sunday. Revenue on hand at close of the year, \$37.14.

BECK'S GROVE.

Earl Welches is able to attend school again.

Grandmother Hovis is somewhat improved.

Ralph and Ray Barker visited their sister, Mrs. James Ault.

Anton Minex made a business trip to Freetown Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCord were guests of Virgil McKinney and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Minex called on Mr. and Mrs. Marion Stout Thursday.

Mrs. Jacob Ault was seriously injured by a fall last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ault, Sr., are visiting relatives and friends in this locality.

Uncle Abe Rutan has been in a very critical condition.

Miss Mildred Manuel called on Lelah Ault one day last week.

A protracted meeting is in progress at Christiansburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Beavers entertained a number of their relatives Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Garlock, Mr. and Mrs. David Garlock and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Barker.

BORCHERS.

John Behrman from Iowa, who visited in the home of Henry Meyer Monday and Tuesday, have been away twenty-two years. He is very glad to meet his home people at Waymansville.

Little Evelyn Trimpe, who has been very ill for nearly two weeks, died Sunday evening. The funeral took place Wednesday at 11 a. m. Burial was at Borchers cemetery. The bereaved family has our sympathy.

Geo. Newkirk visited Henry Meyers a few days last week.

Mrs. Henry Schaffstall and Mrs. Lena Trimpe were called to the bedside last Thursday of Evelyn Trimpe.

Gus and Carl Kleffman have begun to saw Henry Meyers' winter wood.

Mrs. Will Stockamp stayed in the

home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Trimpe, part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. August Vornholt, Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Kleffman, Mr. and Mrs. August Schaffstall helped Fred Rust butcher his winter's meat last week.

Rev. Henry Zumhinst and Walter Newkirk and family were Sunday guests at Henry Meyer's.

The six daughters of Rev. Zumhinst were Sunday guests at Ed Helwig's.

Henry Schnitker is doing carpenter work at Frank Cordes' barn.

Fred Schnitker has been ill with chicken pox.

Miss Florence Strand attended institute at Cortland Saturday and visited home folks over Sunday.

BUFFALO

John Lutes, of Houston visited his father here Sunday.

John McKinney and family have moved to Vincennes where they will make their future home.

Marcus Lutes and family spent Sunday with his brother, Meedy, at Cornett's Cove.

The Telephone Co. held their annual meeting at the school house Tuesday night.

Perry Allen, who was seriously hurt several days ago is improving.

J. N. Carothers, of Brownstown spent several days last week here visiting friends.

W. O. Scott and wife, of Houston spent Saturday with their son, Virgil at this place.

ECLIPSE.

Born, to James Fowler and wife, a daughter, Jan. 4, 1917.

Miss Cora Wray is in very poor health.

Miss Sophia Clappitt of Bedford visited relatives here the last of the week.

Misses Lora Wray and Hazel Lockman, Mollie Henderson, and Arthur Weddell visited in the family of Horace Payne at Clearspring Sunday.

Marvel and Thobel Norman of Clearspring visited their aunt, Mrs. Sarah Fish, Sunday.

Rev. T. J. Cummings filled his appointment at Gullitt's Creek Saturday and Sunday.

Several from here attended the social given by the Sunday School at Clearspring last Friday night.

FLEMING

Perry and George Miller arrived here from Iowa one day last week. They were called to the bedside of their brother-in-law, Will Avey.

Mrs. Susan Collins and Mrs. Myrtle Stanfield and children called on Mrs. Lula Kahrs Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Ellen Brooks and son, John, called on Charles Stanfield and family Saturday evening.

Mrs. Alice Judd visited with Mrs. Fred Kahrs Sunday afternoon.

Byron Judd, who has been sick with tonsillitis, is better. Howard and Mildred Updike have the measles.

Mrs. Everett Collins called on Mrs. Mildred Judd Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lula Kahrs and daughter, Dorothy visited with Mrs. Charles Stanfield and children Monday afternoon.

Winfred Updike returned home, Monday from Muncie where he has been employed.

John Brooks butchered hogs Monday.

Mrs. Susie Brooks visited with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Stanfield Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Ellen Brooks and son, John, called on Mr. and Mrs. Everett Collins Sunday evening.

Will Avey remains about the same.

Charles Stanfield bought some clover hay from Henry Stockelman this week.

FREETOWN.

Wm. Thompson of Heltonville visited Granville Tabor here Sunday.

Mrs. Curtis Carr and children of Columbus visited her parents, David Thompson and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Buell Brown and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Elmore of Kurtz were guests of J. R. Bower and family Sunday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Friday, a son.

After visiting her daughter, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Beatty returned to her home at French Lick Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Martin is in poor health.

Rev. Hammond preached to a well filled house Sunday night after an illness of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Denny have moved to Franklin.

Mrs. Alma Cornett, who has been quite ill with a sore throat, is better.

Mrs. R. E. Heller is spending a few days here with relatives.

Grandma Zike remains about the same.

Wm. Smith went to Indianapolis Tuesday.

HALF-WAY

Mrs. Carl Weddle spent one night last week with Mrs. Geo. Summa.

Glen Brooks visited his uncle, A. W. Brooks and family Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Hulse spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Bert Hammond, of Seymour.

Mrs. Mollie Gallion and children, Julius and Lorene, of Seymour spent Sunday with Arlie Brooks and family.

F. E. Glasson and family took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Scott Kelly Sunday.

Albert Hulse, Geo. Summa, Henry Guffie, William Topie, of Seymour and Walter Glasson, of Iowa were Sunday guests of Arlie Brooks and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hulse, and son, Harry, and J. H. Guffie visited Bruce Brown and family Sunday.

A. W. Brooks, papered a room for Wm. Topie, at Seymour Monday.

Albert Hulse called on Clarence Nassoy Saturday night.

Miss Fannie Muster, of Seymour, spent Monday and Tuesday with Iona Brooks.

Mrs. Lotie Kelly is on the sick list.

HOUSTON.

Wm. Tidd remains about the same.

Garrett Berry returned to Indianapolis

Monday after two weeks' visit with home folks.

James Pruitt shipped some hogs to Cincinnati last week.

W. O. Scott and wife visited their son, Virgil at Buffalo over Sunday.

Levi McMahon of Goss Mill visited his father here Saturday night.

Mrs. Matilda Bean is visiting her sons, George and Bert at Terre Haute.

John R. Lutes had a shed and crib built to his barn last week.

Mrs. Vannie Stephens and son returned to their home in Indianapolis last Tuesday.

Bruce Fleetwood and family of Happy Hollow, visited Bradford Scott Sunday.

The K. of P. lodge installed their officers Saturday night. The lodge is having some sheds built for members to tie their horses in when attending lodge.

H. F. Thompson started to Madison Tuesday evening to visit his brother, Walter and to attend the K. of P. District Meeting.

Clayton Poreh and wife visited his brother, Bert and father near Norman Sunday.

Marcus Lutes and family visited at Cornett's Grove Sunday.

Elder Buchanan filled his regular appointment here at the Christian Church Sunday.

Rev. Proctor will begin a protracted meeting at the M. E. Church Thursday night.

W. O. Scott and wife went to North Vernon Tuesday to visit his brother, Evan this week. He goes on to Madison to attend the District Meeting of K. of P.

LONGVIEW.

Miss Nellie Garlock returned to Freetown Saturday after visiting relatives here last week.

Misses Della Bottorff and Mabel Meyer attended the teachers' institute at Cortland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel McKain spent Tuesday with Riley Roberts and family at White's Chapel.

Miss Mabel Haskett of Reddington was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Wheadon, here last week.

R. C. Meyer and daughter, Gertrude, spent Sunday with Wm. Meyer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Meade McKain and little sons were Sunday guests of A. J. Garlock and wife at Freetown.

James Judd was employed at Freetown last week.

S. S. Dover made a business trip to Cortland Tuesday.

MARION TOWNSHIP

Sunday School has been re-organized for 1917 with G. L. Spall, supt. at Marion, W. L. Deputy at Mt. Zion and A. W. Rogers at Cana.

Born to Everett Jolly and wife, a daughter.

Alfred Deputy and wife, of Mississippi recently returned home after an extended visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Benjamin Bridges and son, Homer have moved from Crothersville to the farm.

The eclipse Monday morning could not be satisfactorily viewed because of the clouds.

Misses Edna and Hettie Lewis, of Illinois are visiting with relatives here.

The high waters Saturday kept some from getting to high school.

OAK GROVE.

Prayer meeting at Frank Brooks was well attended Tuesday evening. The congregation met at Wm. Long's Tuesday evening. These cottage prayer meetings will continue until the church is in condition to reopen for services.

Bruce Roberts and E. R. White began the repair work at the church Monday.

Miss Alice Roberts and Lenore Hooker made a business trip to Cortland Tuesday.

John Tiemeier is having a phone installed in his residence here.

Miss Gertrude Burns who was taken suddenly and seriously ill Thursday afternoon, remains in a critical condition.

Ex-Sheriff John Burns motored down from Columbus Sunday to see his niece, Miss Gertrude Burns, and mother, who are both seriously ill.

Price Trueblood and wife were business callers here Wednesday.

Mrs. John Boknecht visited relatives at Acme Monday.

Harve Kite of Columbus is visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Holtz.

W. A. Mershon is cutting hoop poles.

Mrs. Eliza Graves of Seymour came out Saturday to see Miss Gertrude Burns and mother, who are seriously ill.

Miss Emma Eddy of Taylor's Chapel spent Tuesday here with her sister, Mrs. Charles Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion White and daughters and Harry White were Sunday guests of E. R. White and family.

Born to Professor and Mrs. J. R. Roberts Thursday, Jan. 4th, a daughter.

PEA RIDGE

Several people attended the wood-chopping at Mrs. Kate Piercy's Tuesday.

Grandma Holmes is sick.

Ina Lee is spending the week with Misses Bessie and Mary Holmes.

Misses Ina and Annetta Lee and Misses Bessie and Mary Holmes attended prayer meeting at Leesville Saturday night.

Sherman Lee and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Plummer.

PLEASANTVILLE.

Homer Spear and family of near Leesville spent Monday night with J. E. Curry and family.

Mrs. William Hornback and sister, Miss Corene Houser, Wednesday went to Kentucky to visit their brother and other relatives and friends.

Chas. Wright and family spent Sunday with Jonah Gilbert and family.

Oscar Gilbert spent Sunday at Bedford with his daughter, Mrs. Elzie Easton, and family.

Miss Glenn Weddell is ill.

REDDINGTON

Miss Carmel Hazzard spent one night last week with Miss Minerva Hazzard.

Miss Alice Davis, of Columbus spent Sunday with Miss Maude McClintock.

The Farmers' Institute which was held here Saturday was well attended.

Raymond Welliver went to Lafayette for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hazzard called

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on their son, Cleve Hazzard and family Sunday evening.

There was no church Sunday on account of the illness of the minister, Rev. Sweeney.

Mrs. Pearl McClintock spent a few days last week with Mrs. Evis McClintock.

Those from here who attended church at Ebenezer Sunday night were: Mr. and Mrs. Horace Bunton and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bunton, Jennie Shields, Archie Nicholson, Cora Matheny and Virgil Johnson.

Prayer meeting next Sunday night led by Lonnie Lucas. A welcome to all.

SIDNEY, ILL.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schumacher and children and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Norbin spent last Monday at Henry Kilian.

Mrs. Henry Block and children spent Sunday at the home of F. T. Block.

Mr. Vaulter Davison is improving.

Mr. C. H. Grieb of Fairland, spent New Years at the home of his niece, Mrs. Henry Kilian, Jr.

Miss Alta Hovis, who is staying with her sister, Mrs. Henry Kilian, visited home folks Sunday.

Misses Laura, Leota and Viola Jones are visiting their sisters at Crothersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Amel Block and family spent Saturday evening with Carl Haeckburth.

Melvin Place is suffering with tonsillitis.

Mrs. Callie Brown is very low with pneumonia fever at the home of George Lahne.

Mr. Willis Hovis visited his son-in-law, Vaulter Davison Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Karl Kracht was buried Friday. A farewell party will be given at the home of Carl Haeckburth and his father on Saturday night.

Clarence Woods is sick at this writing.

Ben Jones was a business shopper at Sidney Saturday.

Henry Schroder was a business caller in Champaign Saturday.

Samuel Williams moved from the parsonage at Block church to the property vacated by Bill Ruby.

Everett Toby is sick at this writing.

The oldest son of W. Fitzgerald is suffering with appendicitis.

SPRAYTOWN.

Attendance at Sunday School 35, collection 63 cents.

Rev. Proctor failed to fill his regular appointment here Sunday night on account of having a series of meetings at Christiansburg.

Some from here attended church at Freetown Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Unversaw spent Sunday in the family of Walter Taylor.

Frank Brown delivered a load of fat hogs to James Pruitt at Freetown Thursday.

Bruce Roberts, Walter Haeck and Albert Denny worked for Frank Deavers Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Weekly were at Waymansville Sunday.

Ed Ault has been doing some carpenter work on the Matlock farm near Freetown.

John Kerns and family spent Sunday in the Pleasant Grove neighborhood.

George Denny was at Brownstown Friday.

Ruth and Marie Weekly, Mamie and

Lovel Harris, Laura Long and

PRUDENCE of the PARSONAGE



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CHAPTER VIII.

Romance Comes.

Sometimes, Methodists, or Presbyterians, or heretics—whatever we may be—we are irresistibly impelled to the conclusion that things were simply bound to happen! However slight the cause—still that cause was predestined from the beginning of time. A girl may by the sheerest accident step from the street car a block ahead of her destination—an irritating accident. But as she walks that block she may meet an old-time friend, and a stranger. And that stranger—ah, you can never convince the girl that her stepping from the car too soon was not ordered when the foundations of the world were laid.

After all, it was very simple. Across the street from the parsonage lived a girl named Mattie Moore—a common, unlovely, unexciting girl, who taught a country school five miles out from town, and rode to and from her school, morning and evening, on a bicycle.

One evening, early in June, when the world was fair to look upon, it was foreordained that Prudence should be turning in at the parsonage gate just as Mattie Moore whirled up, opposite, on her dusty wheel. Prudence stopped to interchange polite inanities with her neighbor, and Mattie, wheeling the bicycle lightly beside her, came across the street and stood beneath the parsonage maples with Prudence. They talked of the weather, of the coming



"Sometime Will You Let Me Ride Your Wheel?"

summer, of Mattie's school, rejoicing that one more week would bring freedom from books for Mattie and the younger parsonage girls.

Then said Prudence: "Isn't it great fun to ride a bicycle? I love it. Sometime will you let me ride your wheel?" "Why, certainly. You may ride now if you like."

"No," said Prudence slowly, "I used to ride, but am afraid it would not do now. Some of the members might see me, and—well, I am very grown-up, you know. Of course," she added hastily, "it is different with you. You ride for business, but it would be nothing but a frolic with me. I want to go early in the morning, when the world is fast asleep. Let me take it tomorrow morning, will you?"

"Yes, of course you may," was the hearty answer. "You may stay out as long as you like. I always sleep late on Saturdays."

So Prudence delightedly tripped up the parsonage board walk, wheeling the bicycle by her side. She hid it carefully in the woods, for the twins were rash and venturesome. But after she had gone to bed, she confided her plan to Fairy.

"I'm going at six o'clock, and Fairy, if I am a little late, you'll get breakfast for papa and the girls, like a dear, won't you?"

Fairy promised. And early the next morning Prudence, in red sweater jacket and cap, set out upon her secret ride. It was a magnificent morning, and Prudence sang for pure delight as she rode swiftly along the country roads, guided only by her own caprice. She knew it was growing late, "but Fairy'll get breakfast," she thought, comfortably.

Finally she turned in a by-road leading between two rich hickory groves.

dismounting at the top of a long hill, she gazed anxiously around her. No one was in sight. The nearest house was two miles behind, and the road was long and smooth and inviting, and the hill was steep. Prudence yearned for a good, soul-stirring coast, with her feet high on the framework of the wheel, and the pedals flying around beneath her skirts. It seemed safe. The only living thing in sight was a sober-eyed, serious mule peacefully grazing near the bottom of the hill.

Prudence laughed gleefully, like a child. She never laughed again in exactly that way. "Here goes!" she cried, and, leaping nimbly into the saddle, she pedaled swiftly a few times, and then lifted her feet to the coveted position. The pedals flew around beneath her, and the wind whistled about her in a most exhilarating way.

But as she neared the bottom the placid mule suddenly stalked into the middle of the road. Prudence screamed, jerked the handlebar to the right, to the left, and then, with a sickening thud, she struck the mule head first, and bounced on down to the ground, with a little cry of pain. The bicycle crashed beside her, and the mule, slightly startled, looked around at her with ears raised in silent questioning. Then he ambled slowly across the road, and deliberately continued his grazing.

Prudence tried to raise herself, but she felt sharp pain. She heard someone leaping over the fence near her, and wondered, without moving her head, if it could be a tramp bent on highway robbery. The next instant a man was leaning over her. "It's not a tramp," she thought, before he had time to speak.

"Are you hurt?" he cried. "You poor child!"

Prudence smiled pluckily. "My ankle is hurt a little, but I am not a child." The young man, in great relief, laughed aloud, and Prudence joined him rather faintly.

"I'm afraid I cannot walk," she said. "I believe I've broken my ankle, maybe my whole leg, for all I know. It hurts—pretty badly!"

"Lie down like this," he said, helping her to a more comfortable position, "do not move. May I examine your foot?" She shook her head, but he removed the shoe regardless of her headshake. "I believe it is sprained. I am sure the bone is not broken. But how in the world will you get home? How far is it to Mount Mark? Is that where you live?"

"Yes"—considering—"yes, I live there, and it must be four miles, anyhow. What shall I do?"

In answer, he pulled off his coat, and arranged it carefully by the side of the road on the grass. Then jerking open the bag he had carried, he took out a few towels, and three soft shirts. Hastily rolling them together for a pillow, he added it to the bed pro tem. Then he turned again to Prudence.

"I'll carry you over here, and fix you as comfortably as I can. Then I'll go to the nearest house and get a wagon to take you home."

Prudence was not shy, and realizing that his plan was the wise one, she made no objections when he came to help her across the road. "I think I can walk if you lift me up."

But the first movement sent such a twinge of pain through the wounded ankle that she clutched him frantically and burst into tears. "It hurts," she cried, "don't touch me."

Without speaking, he lifted her as gently as he could and carried her to the place he had prepared for her. "Will you be warm enough?" he asked, after he had stood looking awkwardly down upon the sobbing girl as long as he could endure it.

"Yes," nodded Prudence, gulping down the big sob rising in her throat. "I'll run. This confounded cross-cut is so out of the way that no one will pass here for hours, I suppose. Now lie as comfortably as you can, and do not worry. I'm going to run."

Off he started, but Prudence, left alone, was suddenly frightened. "Please, oh, please," she called after him, and when he came back she buried her face in shame, deep in the linen towel.

"I'm afraid," she whispered, crying again. "I do not wish to be left alone here. A snake might come, or a tramp."

He sat down beside her. "You're nervous. I'll stay with you until you feel better. Someone may come this way, but it isn't likely. I cut through the hickory grove to save a mile. That's how I happened to find you." He smiled a little, and Prudence, remembering the nature of her accident, flushed. Then, being Prudence, she laughed.

"It was my own fault. I had no business to go coasting down like that. But the mule was so stationary. It never occurred to me that he contemplated moving for the next century at least. He was a bitter disappointment." She looked down the roadside where the mule was contentedly grazing, with never so much as a sympathetic glance at his victim.

"I'm afraid your bicycle is rather badly done up."

"Oh—whatever will Mattie Moore say to me? It's borrowed. Oh, I see now, that it was just foolish pride that made me unwilling to ride during decent hours. What a dunce I was—as usual."

He looked at her curiously. This was beyond his comprehension. She explained and then was silent a while. "Fairy'll have to get breakfast, and she always gets father's eggs too hard." Silence again. "Maybe papa'll worry. But then, they know by this time that something always does happen to me, so they'll be prepared."

She turned gravely to the young man beside her. He was looking down

at her, too. And as their eyes met, and clung for an instant, a slow, dark color rose in his face. Prudence felt a curious breathlessness—caused by her hurtling ankle, undoubtedly.

"My name is Prudence Starr—I am the Methodist minister's oldest daughter."

"And my name is Jerrold Harmer." He was looking away into the hickory grove now. "My home is in Des Moines."

"Oh, Des Moines is quite a city, isn't it? I've heard quite a lot about it. You might tell me about Des Moines. Is it very nice? Are there lots of rich people there? Of course, I do not really care any more about rich people than the others, but it always makes a city seem grand to have a lot of rich citizens, I think. Don't you?"

So he told her about Des Moines, and Prudence lay with her eyes half-closed, listening, and wondering why there was more music in his voice than in most voices. Her ankle did not hurt very badly. She did not mind it at all. In fact, she never gave it a thought. From beneath her lids, she kept her eyes fastened on Jerrold Harmer's long brown hands, clasped loosely about his knees. And whenever she could, she looked up into his



"Do Your Friends Call you Jerry?"

face. And always there was that curious catching in her breath, and she looked away again quickly, feeling that to look too long was dangerous.

"I have talked my share now," he was saying, "tell me all about yourself, and the parsonage, and your family. And who is Fairy? And do you attend the college at Mount Mark?"

"Oh, I am not," said Prudence, reluctant to make the admission for the first time in her life. "I am too stupid to be a college girl. I left high school five years ago and have been keeping house for my father and sisters since then. I am twenty years old. How old are you?"

"I am twenty-seven," and he smiled. "Jerrold Harmer," she said slowly and very musically. "It is such a nice name. Do your friends call you Jerry?"

"The boys at school called me Rolfe, and sometimes Hammie. But my mother always called me Jerry. She isn't living now, either. You call me Jerry, will you?"

"Yes, I will, but it won't be proper. But that never makes any difference to me, except when it might shock the members. You want me to call you Jerry, don't you?"

"Yes, I do. And when we are better acquainted, will you let me call you Prudence?"

"Call me that now. I can't be too particular, you see, when I am lying

on your coat and pillowed with your belongings. You might get cross, and take them away from me. Did you go to college?"

"Yes, to Harvard, but I was not much of a student. Then I knocked around a while, looking at the world, and two years ago I went home to Des Moines. I have been there ever since except for little runs once in a while."

Prudence sighed. "My sister Fairy is going to college now. She's very clever—oh, very. You'll like her, I am sure—much better than you do me, of course." Prudence was strangely downcast.

"I am sure I won't," said Jerrold Harmer, with unnecessary vehemence. "I don't care a thing for college girls. I like home girls." Jerrold flipped over abruptly, and lay on the grass, his face on his arms turned toward her face. They were quiet for a while, but their glances were clinging.

"Did you play football at college? You are so tall. Fairy's tall, too. Fairy's very good looking. I've tried my best to eat lots, and exercise, and make myself bigger, but—I am a fizzle."

"Yes, I played football. But girls do not need to be so tall as men. Don't you remember what Orlando said about Rosalind—just as tall as my heart? I imagine you come about to my shoulder. We'll measure as soon as you are on your feet again."

"Are you going to live in Mount Mark now? Are you coming to stay?" Prudence was almost quivering as she asked this. It was of vital importance.

"No, I will only be there a few days, but I shall probably be back every week or so. Is your father very strict? Maybe he would object to your writing to me."

"Oh, he isn't strict at all. And he will be glad for me to write to you, I know. Is Des Moines just full of beautiful girls?"

"I should say not. I never saw a real beautiful girl in Des Moines in my life. Or any place else, for that matter, until I came— You know when you come right down to it, there are mighty few girls that look—just the way you want them to look."

Prudence nodded. "That's the way with men, too. Of all the men I have seen in my life, I never saw one before that looked just the way I wanted him to."

"Before?" he questioned eagerly. "Yes," said Prudence frankly. "You look just as I wish you to."

(To Be Continued)

CONSERVATION TRUTHS.

The man at the bench is the co-worker of the man in the office. Let them get together for the common good.

Stick to your job. The man who jumps from one job to another never learns enough about any particular class of work to become valuable in it.

Every business has three partners. Capital—the employer. Labor—the employee. The public—the consumer. No industry can thrive if co-operation among the three is lacking. No business can succeed that has a dishonest or indifferent partner. Each partner owes a duty to the others. Get together.

This town is your home. Help to make it a better home by co-operating with its merchants and business men. Treat your industries fairly, and they must be fair to you.

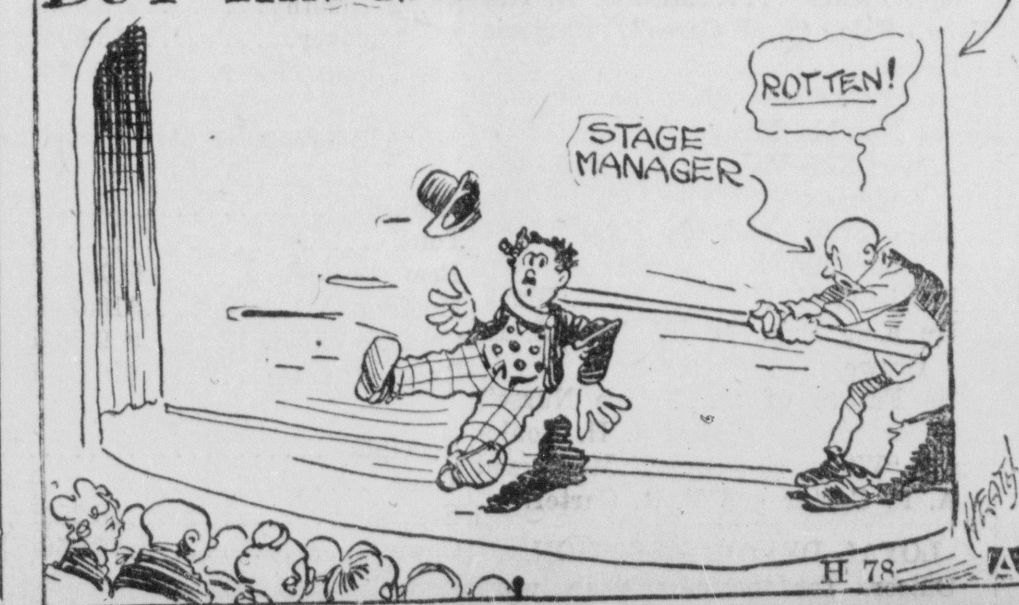
Consumers should realize that when unfair legislation makes business dance they all have to pay the fiddler.

"When you attack men who maintain payrolls you hit the wage earner, kick his wife and cuff his children."—Elbert Hubbard.

"I'VE GOT A BIG REPUTATION AS A MOVIE ACTOR, SIR, BUT I WANT A STEADY JOB IN VAUDEVILLE—I'M WELL KNOWN ALL OVER THE COUNTRY FOR MY ORIGINAL ACT—WHY, LOTS OF PEOPLE HAVE BEEN TAKING ME OFF LATELY!"



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District 16, bounded by Vine, Fourth, Seventh and Penn. Railroad.

District 17, bounded by Seventh, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

SECOND WARD.

District 23, bounded by Poplar, Third, B. & O. Railroad and Pennsylvania Railroad.

District 24, bounded by Poplar, Third, Central Avenue and B. & O. Railroad.

District 25, bounded by Central Avenue, Third, Fifth and Pennsylvania Railroad.

District 26, bounded by Fifth, Seventh, Central and Penn. Railroad.

District 27, bounded by Central Avenue, Seventh, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

THIRD WARD.

District 34, bounded by Vine, South, B. & O. Railroad and Penn. Railroad.

District 35, bounded by Vine, South, B. & O. Railroad and corporation limits.

District 36, bounded by Laurel, Centennial, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

District 37, bounded by Laurel, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

FOURTH WARD.

District 42, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Penn. Railroad and B. & O. Railroad.

District 43, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Poplar and B. & O. Railroad.

District 45, bounded by Poplar, Brown, B. & O. Railroad and corporation limits.

FIFTH WARD.

District 51, bounded by Chestnut, Brown, Penn. Railroad and corporation limits.

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Warning—One long blast.

One long—Fair weather, stationary temperature.

Two long—Rain or snow, stationary temperature.

Three long—Local rain, stationary temperature.

One long, one short—Fair weather, lower temperature.

One long, two short—Fair weather, higher temperature.

Two long, one short—Rain or snow, lower temperature.

Three long, one short—Local rain, lower temperature.

Three long, two short—Local rain, higher temperature.

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Use Musterole for sore throat, bronchitis, tonsillitis, croup, stiff neck, asthma, neuralgia, headache, congestion, pleurisy, rheumatism, lumbago, pains and aches of back or joints, sprains, sore muscles, bruises, chilblains, frosted feet, colds of the chest (it often prevents pneumonia).



LOUISVILLE

AMUSEMENT CALENDAR

MACAULEY'S: (This Week)—Cyril Scott in musical comedy "Arms and the Girl." Jan 8-10, matinee Wednesday. Next week—May Irwin in "No. 33, Washington Square." Jan 18-20, matinee Saturday.

B. F. KEITH'S: The World Dancers, a company of twelve clever exponents of various styles of dancing in "The Evolution of the Dance." All week, matinee daily.

GAYETY: Sullivan and Considine vaudeville. All week, matinee daily.

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Bedford	7:00 am	8:40 am	10:20 am	12:00 pm	1:40 pm
Odin	7:12 am	8:52 am	10:32 am	12:12 pm	1:52 pm
Elora	7:30 am	9:10 am	10:50 am	12:30 pm	2:10 pm
Bedford	7:46 am	9:26 am	11:06 am	12:46 pm	2:26 pm
Linton	8:15 am	9:55 am	11:35 am	1:15 pm	2:55 pm
Ar. Terre Haute	9:10 am	11:45 am	1:45 pm	4:10 pm	7:40 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

Leave	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5
Terre Haute	5:50 am	7:30 am	9:10 am	10:50 am	12:30 pm
Bedford	6:10 am	7:50 am	9:30 am	11:10 am	12:50 pm
Odin	6:22 am	8:02 am	9:42 am	11:22 am	1:02 pm
Elora	6:40 am	8:20 am	10:00 am	11:40 am	1:20 pm
Bedford	6:56 am	8:36 am	10:16 am	11:56 am	1:36 pm
Ar. Seymour	7:50 am	9:30 am	11:10 am	12:50 pm	2:30 pm

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For further information or time tables, call on or write.

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THE DIMES NICKLES AND CENTS

that slip through your fingers for trifles and things unnecessary will keep up your deposits in our

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS FUND

and will accumulate into amounts of
\$12.50, \$25.50, \$63.75 AND UP
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NEXT CHRISTMAS

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**Everybody—Old and Young
The Baby included
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Social Events

Coming Events

Thursday.

Ladies' Aid Society of the German Lutheran church at the Lutheran Club.

Sewing Club with Miss Bernice White on West Fourth St.

Young Ladies' Society of German Lutheran church. Social at Lutheran Club. Evening.

Baptist Missionary Society, First Baptist church with Mrs. N. M. Carlson, on North Walnut street.

A-Z Club with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Griffiths, 115 West Second street.

Susannah Wesley Circle with Mrs. C. H. Wiethoff, 620 North Ewing street. Afternoon.

Friday.

Amitee Club with Mrs. Theo. Brunow on South street.

M. Y. O. B. Sewing Club with Miss Luella Brand on W. Laurel. Evening.

Cloverleaf Club with Mrs. Harvey Gereman on West Fourth street.

Sewing Society of First Baptist church at the church.

Christian Ladies' Aid Society with Mrs. Thomas Hopewell, 614 North Chestnut street.

Methodist Ladies' Aid Society at the church.

Friendship Circle of German M. E. church with Yolande Ruddick, 606 South Poplar street.

WOMAN'S CLASS ENTERTAINS.

The Woman's Bible Class of the First Baptist Sunday School entertained the Men's Class Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hustedt on North Poplar street. The program for the evening consisted of singing by all present, scripture reading and prayer by Rev. T. C. Smith, matching Bible verses, answering Bible questions, etc. At the close of the program Mrs. W. O. Shepard, on behalf of the Woman's Class, presented their teacher, Rev. T. C. Smith, with a handsome rocker as a token of their appreciation of his work. Mr. Smith responded briefly. The following hour was spent socially with music and games. Refreshments were served later in the evening.

Mrs. Hustedt was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. M. C. Black and Mrs. William Rodert. A committee composed of Mrs. J. B. Shepard, Mrs. George Bartlett and Mrs. Mort Crabb was appointed to arrange for the next monthly social.

LITERARY CLUB HAS PROGRAM.

Mrs. Jerome McOsker was hostess this afternoon to the members of the Brownstown Wednesday Club, when the January program was carried out. The topic for this month was "Women of the Civil War," and it was developed as follows:

Responses—Beauty Spots in Indiana.

"Woman's Work in the Civil War".....Mrs. R. B. Applewhite.

"The Life of Julia Ward Howe".....Mrs. Van Robertson.

Instrumental Solo.....Mrs. A. C. Greger.

Arrangements were made for the annual luncheon, which will be held on February 7. At this time officers will be elected and committees appointed for the coming year. Mrs. J. M. Robertson, who is with her husband in Indianapolis during the session of the legislature, was at home to attend the meeting.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO MEET.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church will meet with Mrs. N. M. Carlson at her home on North Walnut street Thursday afternoon at 2:30, when the following program will be carried out, with "The Hospital and the Kingdom" as the subject and Mrs. J. H. Boake as leader:

Devotionals.....Mrs. Jay C. Smith

"Why Do Medical Work in the Foreign Field?".....Mrs. L. B. Hill

Vocal Solo, "God Cares".....Marjorie Hagan

Oriental Gardens.....Mrs. John Buhner

Some Notable Native Doctors:

Esther Kim Pak, M. D.....Mrs. Ada Anderson

Mary Stone and Ida Kahn.....Mrs. Wm. Hustedt

Li Bi Cu, M. D.....Mrs. M. B. Black

Hu King Eng, M. D.....Mrs. S. L. Crowe

"The Future of the Native Nurse".....Mrs. J. H. Boake

Duet, "Whispering Hope".....Mesdames A. P. Carter and T. R. Carter.

LOYAL DEVOIR ELECTION.

Officers for the new year were elected last night, when Mrs. Ray Keach of North Poplar street entertained the Loyal Devoir society

of the Christian church. Mrs. William Wells was chosen as president, Mrs. Ray Keach as vice-president, and Mrs. Carl H. Meyer as secretary and treasurer.

Reports for the past year were given by the secretary, Mrs. James E. Hamer, and by the chairmen of the four committees who had charge of the work of the society. The reports showed an unusually prosperous year, and excellent prospects for 1917.

Following the business session, the members enjoyed a general social hour, and a luncheon was served.

WEDNESDAY SEWING CLUB.

Mrs. O. H. Montgomery entertained the members of the Ladies' Wednesday Sewing Club this afternoon at her home on North Walnut street. The time was passed in a pleasantly informal manner with needlework, and a dainty luncheon was served late in the afternoon.

SUSANNAH WESLEY CIRCLE.

The Susannah Wesley Circle will meet Thursday afternoon, January 11, at the home of Mrs. C. H. Wiethoff on North Ewing street. All members are requested to be present, as there will be important business.

WILL ELECT OFFICERS.

The Ladies' Society of the Lutheran Church will elect officers for 1917 at the regular monthly business meeting to be held Thursday afternoon at the club house. A full attendance is desired.

ALL DAY QUILTING.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First M. E. church will hold an all-day quilting party Friday at the church. An intermission will be held at noon for luncheon. All members are requested to attend this meeting.

KAFFEE KLATCH MEETS.

Miss Pearl Clark was hostess this afternoon to the members of the Kaffee Klatch at her home on Seventh street and Central Avenue. The members were entertained informally, and a two course luncheon was served at five o'clock.

PRISCILLA CLUB MEETS.

Mrs. J. G. Laupus entertained the members of the Priscilla Club this afternoon at her home on North Walnut street. Sewing formed the diversion, followed by a dainty luncheon.

SEYMOUR MARKETS

Wagon wheat	.....\$1.80
Flour	.....\$1.20-\$1.25
Corn	.....90c
Oats	.....50c
Rye	.....\$1.10
Clover seed	.....\$8.00@9.00
Straw, wheat, ton	.....\$5.00
Straw, oats, ton	.....\$6.00
Timothy hay	.....\$14.00
Clover hay	.....\$10.00

POULTRY.

Hens, fat	.....14c
Springs, fat	.....14c
Cocks, fat	.....7c
Geese, per pound	.....9c
Ducks, per pound	.....11c
Turkeys, old hens, per pound	.....19c
Old Toms, per pound	.....17c
Turkeys, young	.....20c
Guineas, per head	.....35c
Eggs	.....39c
Butter	.....26c

Indianapolis Cash Prices.

By United Press.

January 10, 1917.

WHEAT—Steady.
No. 2 red.....\$1.91@1.93
Milling wheat.....\$1.89

CORN—Firm.
No. 3 white.....\$1.00¼@1.01¼
No. 3 yellow.....\$1.00¼@1.01¼
No. 3 mixed.....\$1.00½@1.01

OATS—Steady.
No. 3 white.....58 @59
No. 3 mixed.....57½@58

HAY—Steady.
No. 1 timothy.....\$14.00@14.50
No. 2 timothy.....\$13.00@13.50
No. 1 clover.....\$13.00@13.50
No. 1 light clover, mixed.....\$13@13.50

Indianapolis Live Stock.
HOGS.

Receipts	.....18,000
Tone	.....Steady
Best heavies	.....\$10.65@10.75
Medium and mixed	.....\$10.65@10.75
Com. to choice lights	.....\$9.50@10.75
Bulk of sales\$10.65@10.75

CATTLE
Receipts.....1,700
Tone.....Lower
Steers.....\$6.25@11.25
Cows.....\$4.50@8.75

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Receipts.....400
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Top.....\$13.50

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mustaches
And talk about per
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Weather Report.

For Indiana: Overcast in south and probably snow flurries in north portion tonight. Colder tonight with a cold wave. Thursday fair, colder in south and central portions, strong north and northwest winds.

Seymour Temperatures.

Reported by J. Thos. Hays, Seymour weather observer.
Max. Min.

Mrs. L. C. Hendricks, 809 East St. Clair street, entertained informally yesterday afternoon for her sister, Mrs. David Baird, of Seymour, Ind.—Indianapolis Star.

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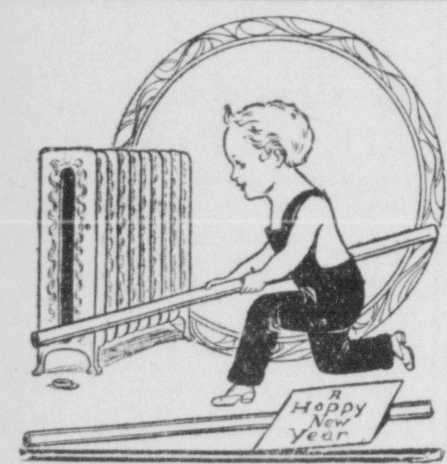
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ROBERTS WANTS MORE WORK FOR HIS DEPARTMENT

State Statistician Believes He Can Make Changes That will Save \$50,000 Annually.

By United Press.

Indianapolis, January 10.—Henry A. Roberts, new state statistician, stated today that he will make efforts to inaugurate a new system of work for the bureau of statistics, whereby he says he can save more than \$50,000 annually for the state.

Roberts advocates that the bureau take over the issuance of auto licenses, which now devolves upon the secretary of state. He also says that the annual reports of all state offices should be made in one volume and that that should be done by the statistician.

Although he has not yet taken any definite steps to carry out his plans, Roberts expects to confer with party leaders over the state and to have a bill providing for this system presented to the 1917 session of the

general assembly.

"In many eastern states, the work of taking the census of the state is also included in the duty of the statistician and this phase will probably be included in my plans," stated Roberts.

Mrs. J. R. Tidd Dead.

Mrs. Dora Tidd, wife of J. R. Tidd, died this morning at 4:30 o'clock at her home on East Fourth street following an extended illness with cancer. She is survived by her husband and two sons, Charles and Vernon. The funeral will be conducted at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon from the residence by the Rev. Franklin P. Smith, pastor of the Central Christian church. Burial at River-view cemetery.

Hear Former Governor Hanly at the First Baptist church Thursday night. j11d

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Navy Beans, lb.....12½c
Pure Lard, lb.....17½c
Pickled Pork, lb.....14c

Pinto Beans, lb.....10c
Lima Beans, lb.....10c
Good Cabbage, lb.....6½c
Extra Large Lemons, doz.....18c
Jumbo Pickles, doz.....20c
Sweet Pickles, doz.....10c
Mixed Sweet Pickles, lb.....15c
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Small Can Pet Milk.....5c
Creamery Butter, lb.....40c
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